

To LOVE, or not to LOVE



# Boarding School

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*Juliet*

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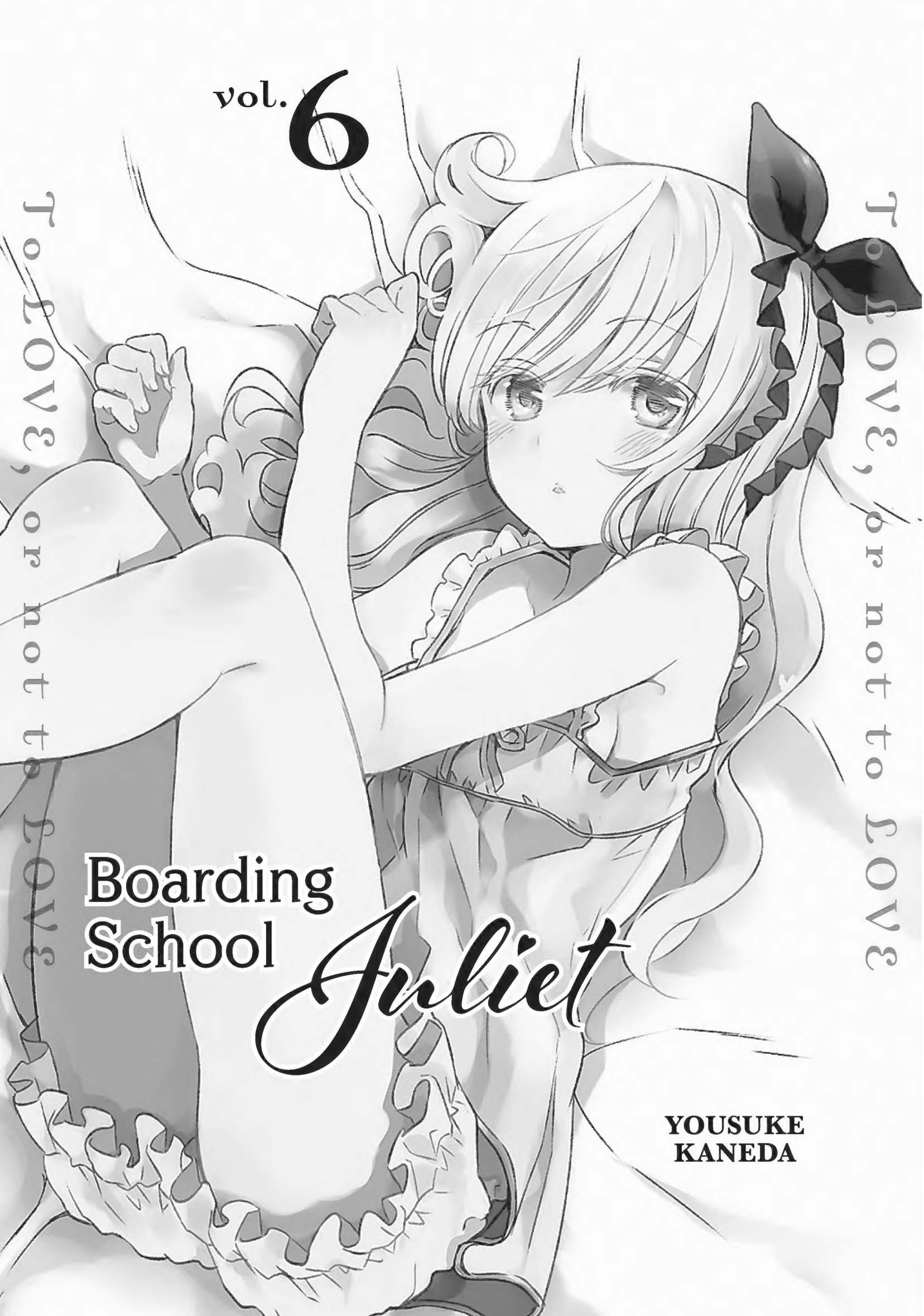
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**Boarding  
School**

*Juliet*

**YOUSUKE  
KANEDA**

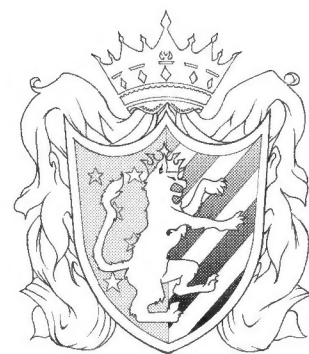




# CHARACTERS OF BOARDING SCHOOL JULIET

To LOVE, or not to LOVE

character



**WHITE CAT HOUSE**  
(PRINCIPALITY OF WEST DORM)

PREFECTS

**CAIT  
SIDHE**



**REX**



**SIBER**

**SCOTT**



WORSHIPS

**HASUKI**

Inuzuka's best bud since they were little. It broke her heart when she found out about him and Persia.



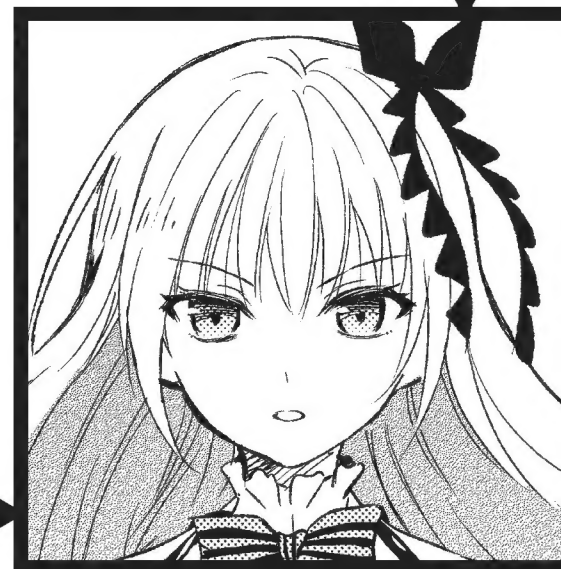
BEST  
BUDS



**BLACK  
DOGGY HOUSE**  
(NATION OF  
TOUWA DORM)

**JULIET  
PERSIA**

Leader of the White Cat first-years. A noble. Her dream is to change the world so that she can carry on the family estate.



WANTS  
TO  
KILL

SECRETLY  
DATING

**ROMIO  
INUZUKA**

Leader of the Black Doggy first-years. All brawn and no brains. Has had one-sided feelings for Persia since forever.



BROTHERS  
PREFECTS

YEOMAN



**AIRU**

MASTER



**TERIA**

TWIN  
S



**KOCHO**

KOHITSUJI

TOSA

**MARU'S GANG  
(THE THREE IDIOTS)**

**MARU**

INTERESTED?

WANTS  
TO  
KILL



BEST  
FRIENDS

WANTS  
TO  
KILL

**CHARTREUX  
WESTIA**

Princess of the Principality of West. Secretly in love with Persia. Knows about Inuzuka and Persia's relationship.



**JULIO**

SAME  
PERSON



Persia's Black Doggy middle school boy disguise.

**ABY  
SINIA**



ABY  
FACTION

**SOMALI**





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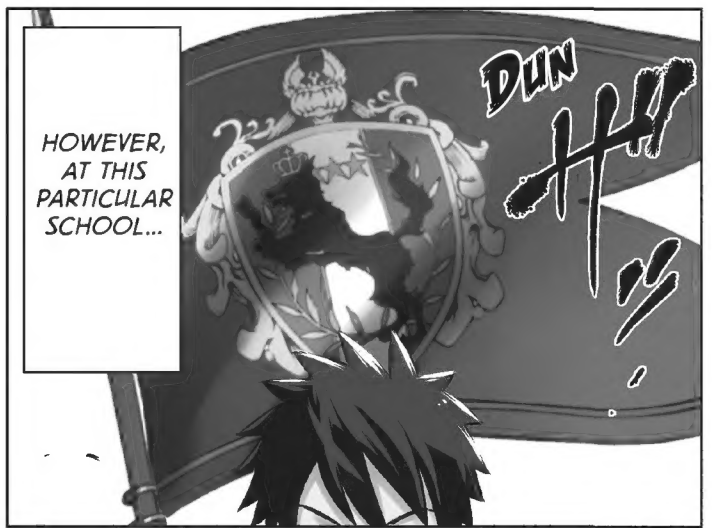
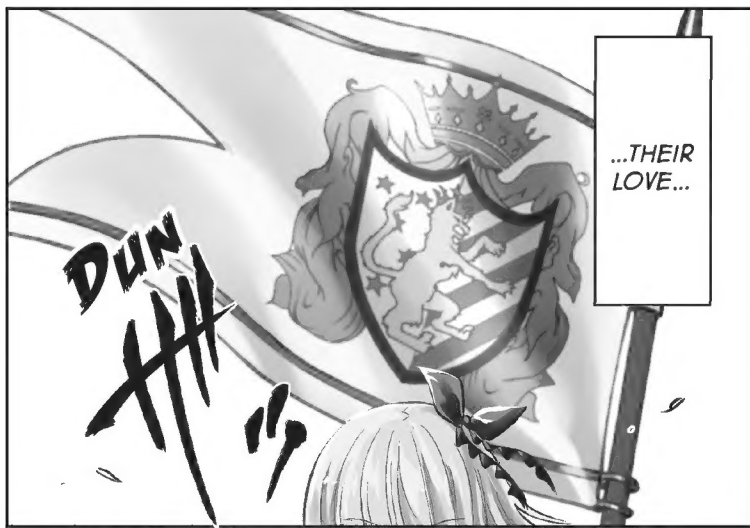
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## story

At boarding school Dahlia Academy, attended by students from two feuding countries, one first-year longs for a forbidden love. His name: Romio Inuzuka, leader of the Black Doggy House first-years. The apple of his eye: Juliet Persia, leader of the White Cat House first-years. It all begins when Inuzuka confesses his feelings to her. This is Inuzuka and Persia's star-crossed, secret love story...

By secretly teaming up with Persia, Inuzuka got a hit on Airu, and won back the first-year leader position he had lost in the Sports Festival. Overcoming a castaway incident during the seaside camp, and the summer school from hell, among other obstacles, has rapidly drawn Inuzuka and Persia closer together...









ACT 26:

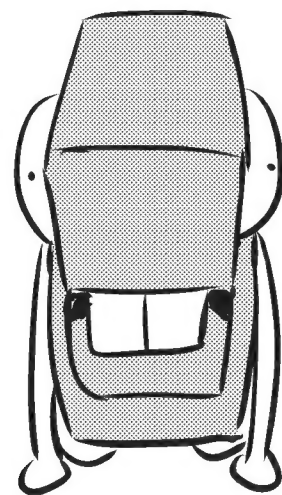
ROMIO & JULIET & DAHLIA FIELD



**Allow me to explain why some of you may be getting déjà vu from these pages: beginning with this volume's chapters, *Boarding School Juliet* moved magazines. We used to be serialized in *Bessatsu Shonen Magazine*, and now we're in *Weekly Shonen Magazine*.**

**The opening pages of this volume are a quick catchup for first-time readers, but the story and setting remain unchanged. Chronologically, this is the second school term.**

**Thanks for your understanding.**



...LIES A  
BOARDING  
SCHOOL  
KNOWN  
AS DAHLIA  
ACADEMY.

West



Touwa

Dahlia island

ON AN  
ISLAND  
BETWEEN  
TWO  
FEUDING  
COUNTRIES...

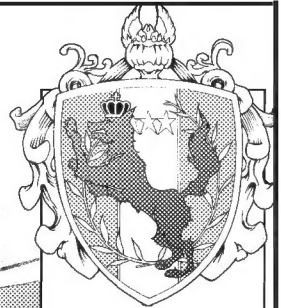
...EACH  
NATION HAS  
ITS OWN  
SEPARATE  
DORMITORY.

AND  
AT THIS  
SCHOOL...



PRINCIPALITY  
OF WEST  
DORM:

**WHITE  
CAT  
HOUSE**



NATION  
OF TOUWA  
DORM:

**BLACK  
DOGGY  
HOUSE**





**BLACK DOGGY HOUSE FIRST-  
YEAR LEADER:  
ROMIO INUZUKA**

...YOU  
STUCK-  
UP  
WEST-  
ERN  
ARISTO-  
CRATS!

MOVE  
IT! WE  
CAN'T GET  
INTO THE  
CLASS-  
ROOM...

...YOU  
TOU-  
WANESE  
BARBARI-  
ANS.

YOU'RE THE  
ONES WHO  
OUGHT TO  
REMOVE  
YOUR-  
SELVES...

**WHITE CAT HOUSE  
FIRST-YEAR LEADER:  
JULIET PERSIA**

THEY DUKE  
IT OUT  
NEARLY  
EVERY DAY!

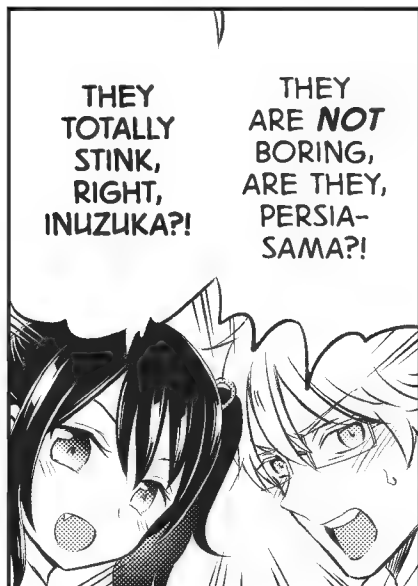
DO  
YOUR  
WORST!

WE'LL  
BEAT  
YOU  
SO BAD  
YOU'LL  
HAFTA  
MISS  
CLASS  
!!

LIKE THEIR  
COUNTRIES,  
THE TWO  
DORMS ARE  
FEUDING.









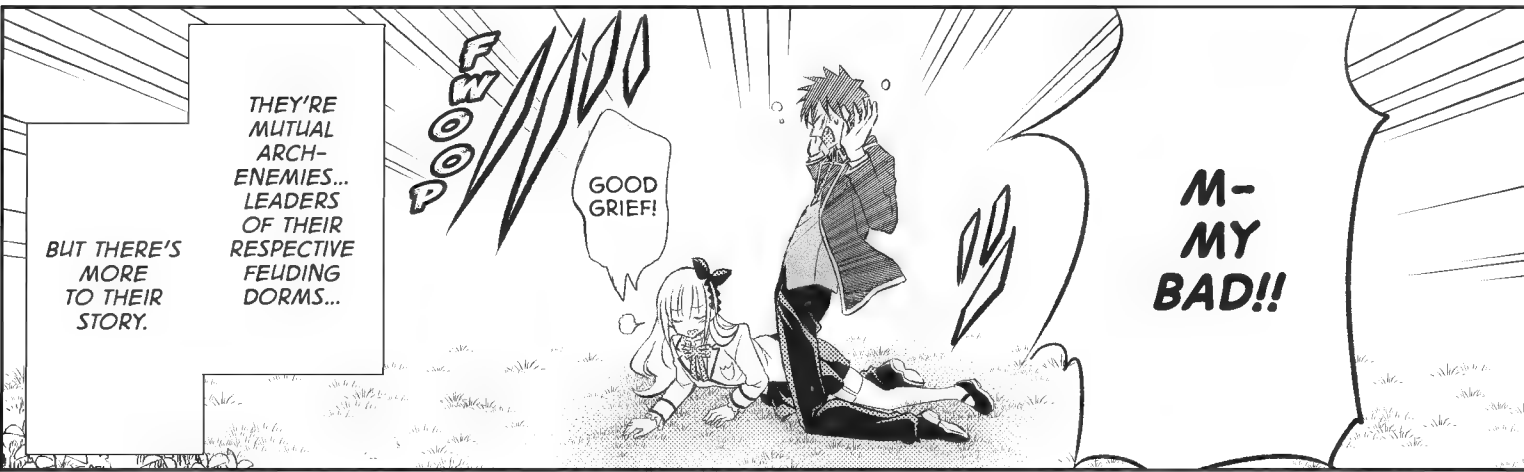




WE'RE  
ALONE  
NOW...

YOU...  
CAN STOP  
ACTING,  
YOU  
REALIZE?









GLANCE  
チラッ



...AND  
IT'S BEEN  
SO LONG  
THAT I'M  
GETTIN'  
NERVOUS!!

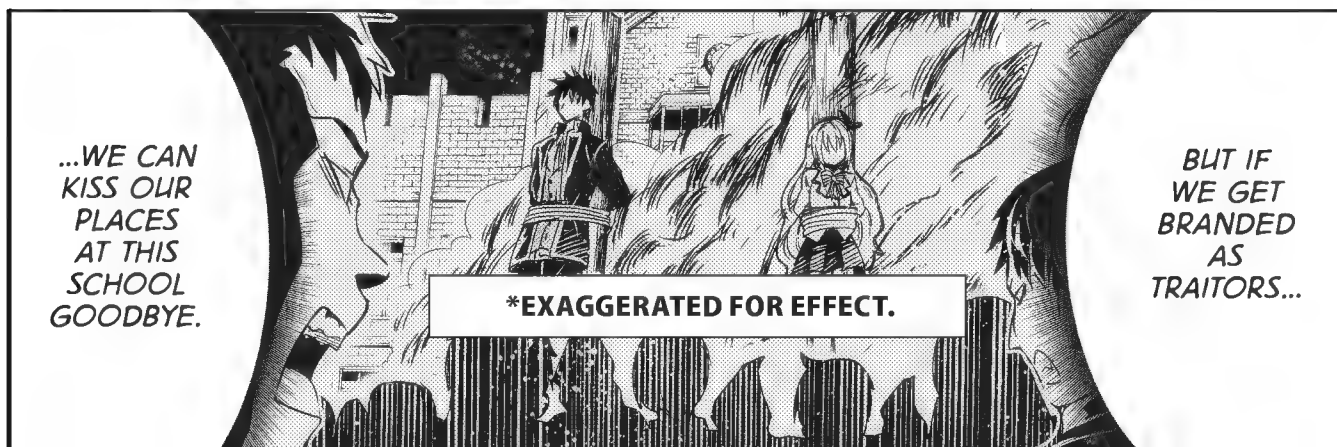
C-CRAP. WE  
DIDN'T GET  
TO SEE EACH  
OTHER EVEN  
ONCE OVER  
SUMMER  
VACATION  
'CAUSE WE  
WERE AT  
HOME. NOW  
WE'RE BACK  
FOR THE  
SECOND  
TERM...



I WANNA  
SHOUT IT  
FROM THE  
HILLTOPS...

AHHHH!  
SHE'S SO  
FRICKIN' CUTE  
EVERY DARN  
DAY!!

"PERSIA'S MY  
GIRLFRIEND!!"



...WE CAN  
KISS OUR  
PLACES  
AT THIS  
SCHOOL  
GOODBYE.

\*EXAGGERATED FOR EFFECT.

BUT IF  
WE GET  
BRANDED  
AS  
TRAITORS...



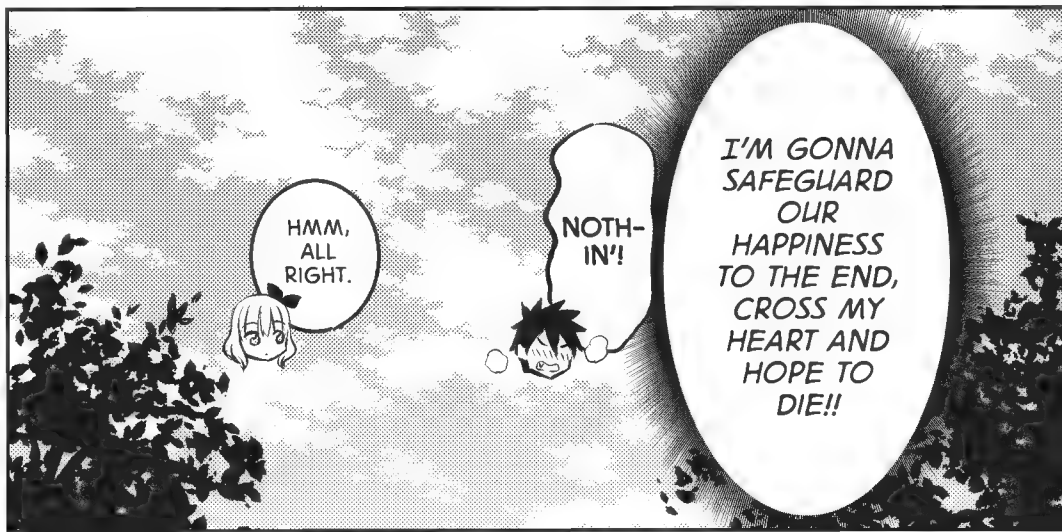
WHAT ARE YOU FROWNING FOR?

IT'D BE ONE THING FOR ME...BUT I DON'T WANNA DO THAT TO PERSIA.



WE'VE FINALLY GOT SOME PRECIOUS TIME ALONE.

THUMP



HMM, ALL RIGHT.

NOTH-IN!

I'M GONNA SAFEGUARD OUR HAPPINESS TO THE END, CROSS MY HEART AND HOPE TO DIE!!



WHAT? I FELT LIKE EATIN' SOME DIRT, THAT'S ALL!!

DANG, THIS DIRT'S TASTY!!

OH... SORRY.

O-OH, REALLY?



G R A B

I'M GONNA HOLD HER HAND!

ACHOO!







SO  
WE'LL BE  
LOOKING  
AT THE  
FLOWERS  
?

YEAH! IT'S  
A FLOWER-  
VIEWING  
DATE!!

HOW 'BOUT  
THE HILL  
BEHIND THE  
SCHOOL?  
THE DAHLIA  
FLOWERS  
ARE IN FULL  
BLOOM.  
IT'S SUPPOSED  
TO BE  
STUNNING!



A DATE?  
THE SECOND  
TERM HAS  
BARELY BEGUN.  
THE PREFECTS  
WILL STILL BE  
MONITORING  
THE CAMPUS  
WITH EXTRA  
VIGILANCE!!



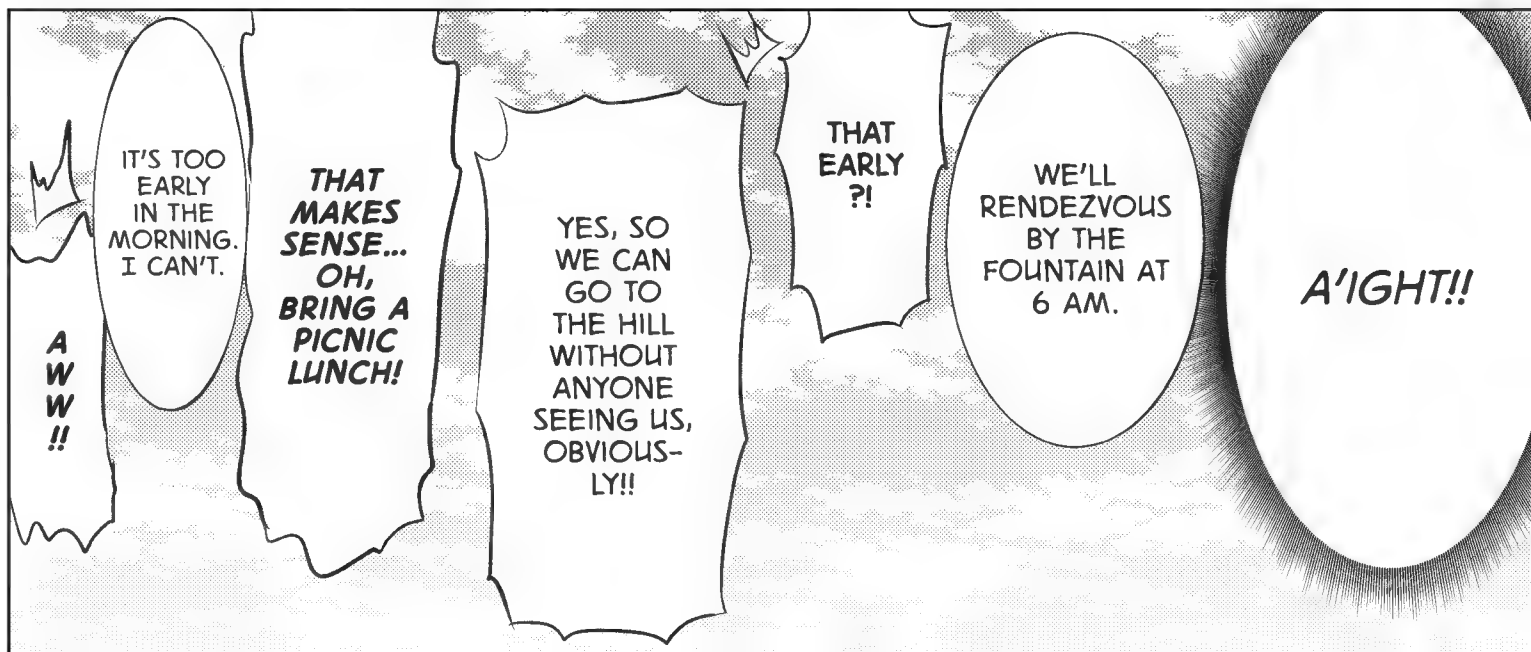
GOODNESS,  
THERE'S NO  
REASONING  
WITH YOU,  
IS THERE?

ALL RIGHT,  
I'LL DO IT.



IF YOU  
WANT TO SEE  
FLOWERS SO  
BADLY, WHY  
DON'T YOU  
JUST GO TO  
THE ROSE  
GARDEN ON  
YOUR OWN?

THAT'D  
DEFEAT  
THE  
POINT!!



IT'S TOO  
EARLY  
IN THE  
MORNING.  
I CAN'T.

A  
W  
W  
!!

THAT  
MAKES  
SENSE...  
OH,  
BRING A  
PICNIC  
LUNCH!

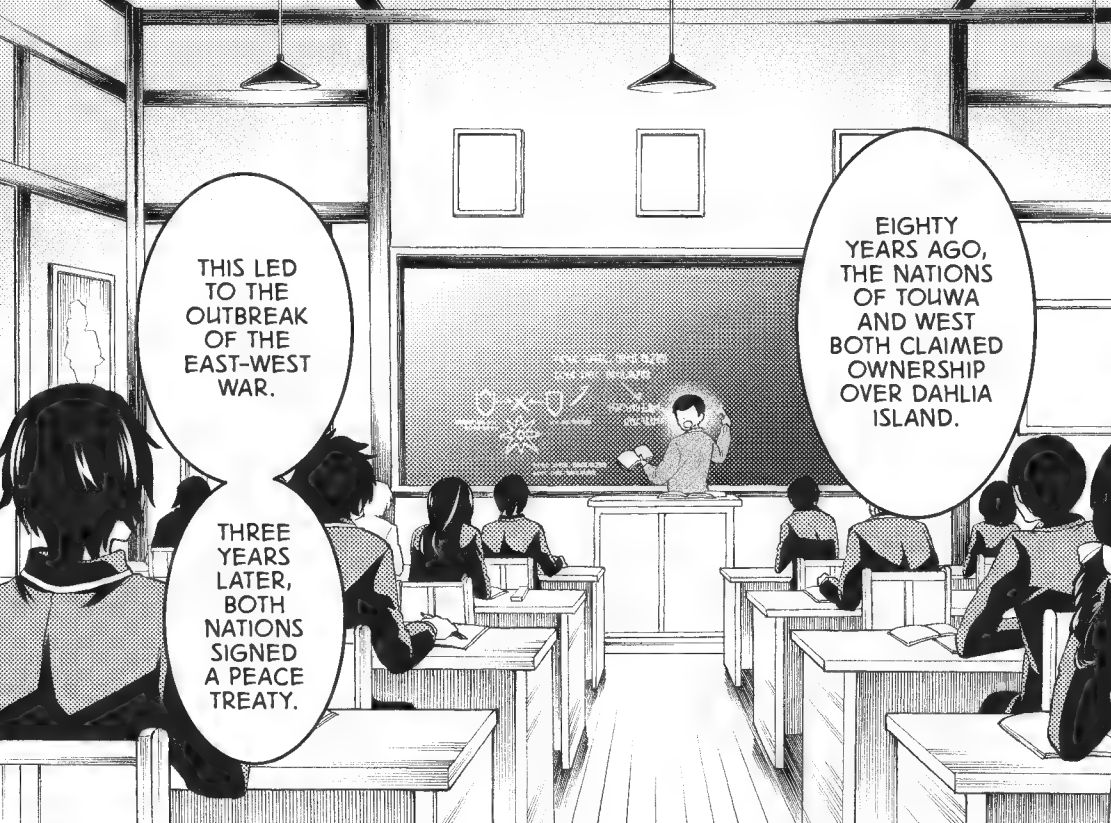
YES, SO  
WE CAN  
GO TO  
THE HILL  
WITHOUT  
ANYONE  
SEEING US,  
OBVIOUS-  
LY!!

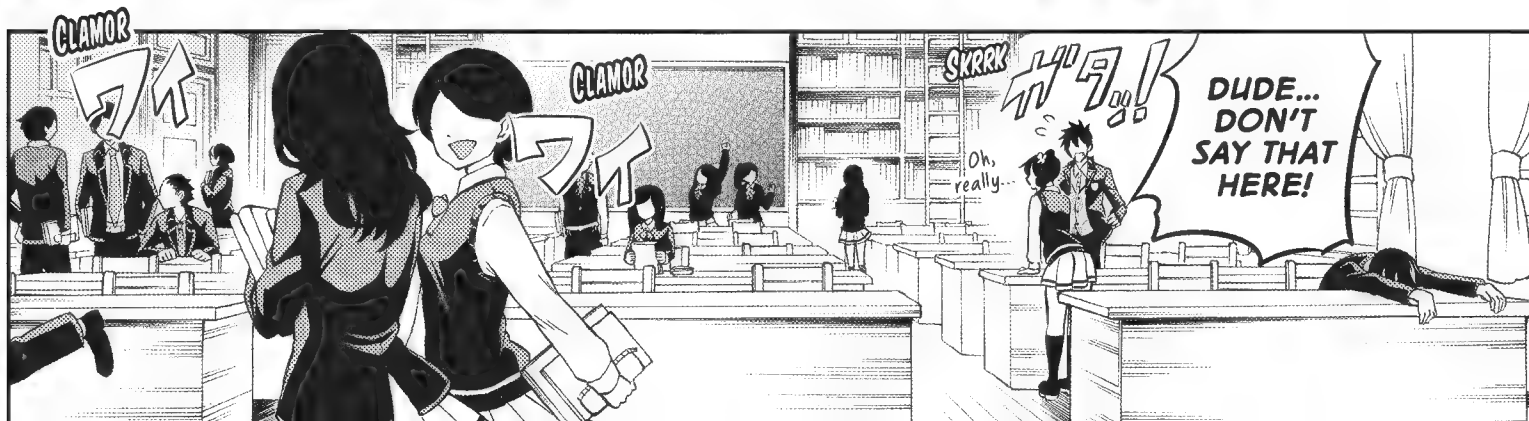
THAT  
EARLY  
?!

WE'LL  
RENDEZVOUS  
BY THE  
FOUNTAIN  
AT  
6 AM.

A'IGHT!!

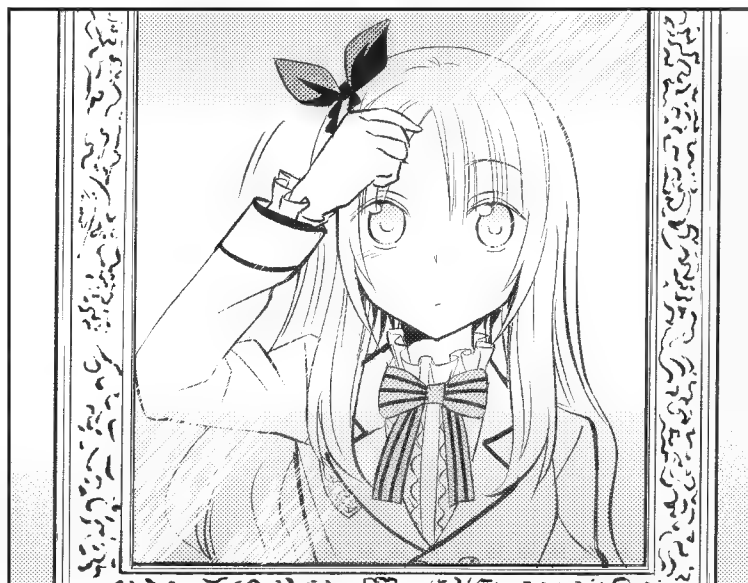
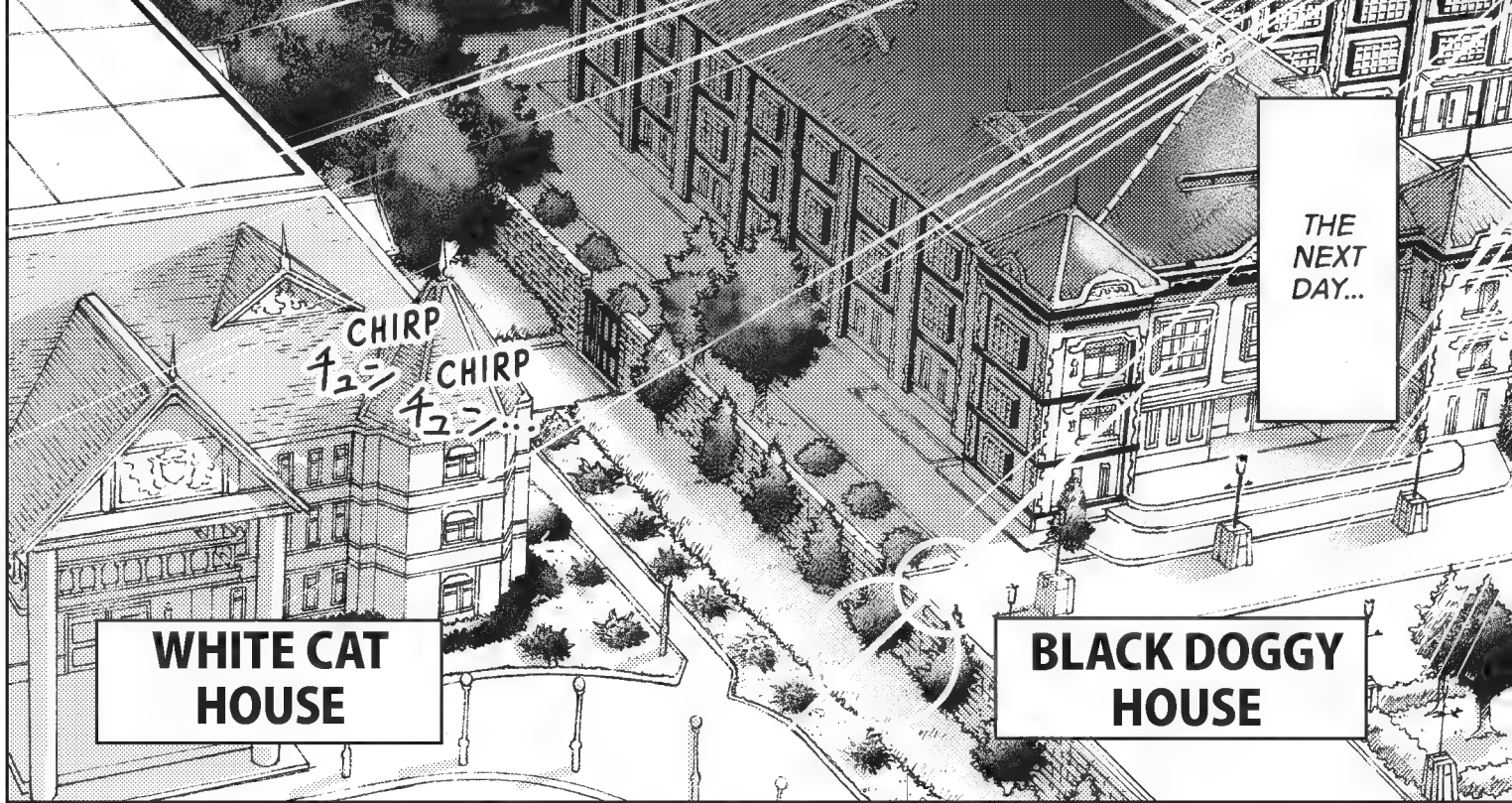




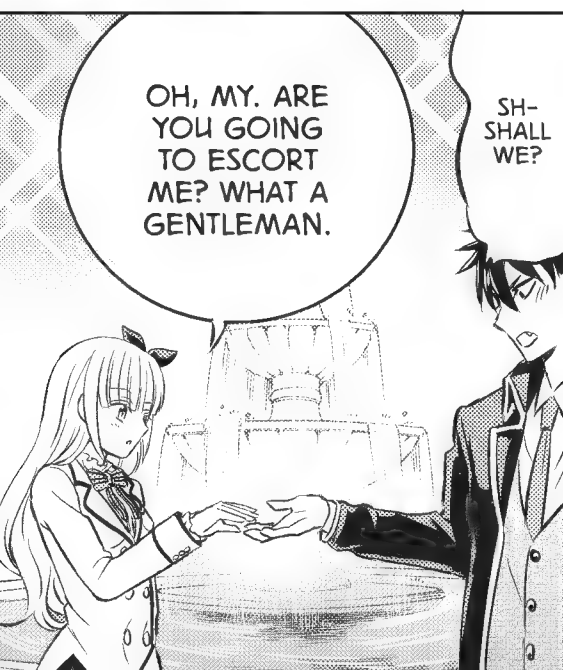














**I'LL  
ESCORT  
YOU  
INTO  
THE  
FOUN-  
TAIN  
!!**

HUH?  
INUZUKA?

**SPLASH**



I DON'T  
KNOW!  
LOOK,  
JUST TAKE  
COVER  
ON THE  
OTHER  
SIDE  
OF THE  
FOUNTAIN!!

HEY!!  
WHAT  
ARE  
THEY  
DOING  
HERE?!

HEY!!  
WHAT  
ARE  
THEY  
DOING  
HERE?!

**SPLASH**



**GLUB**

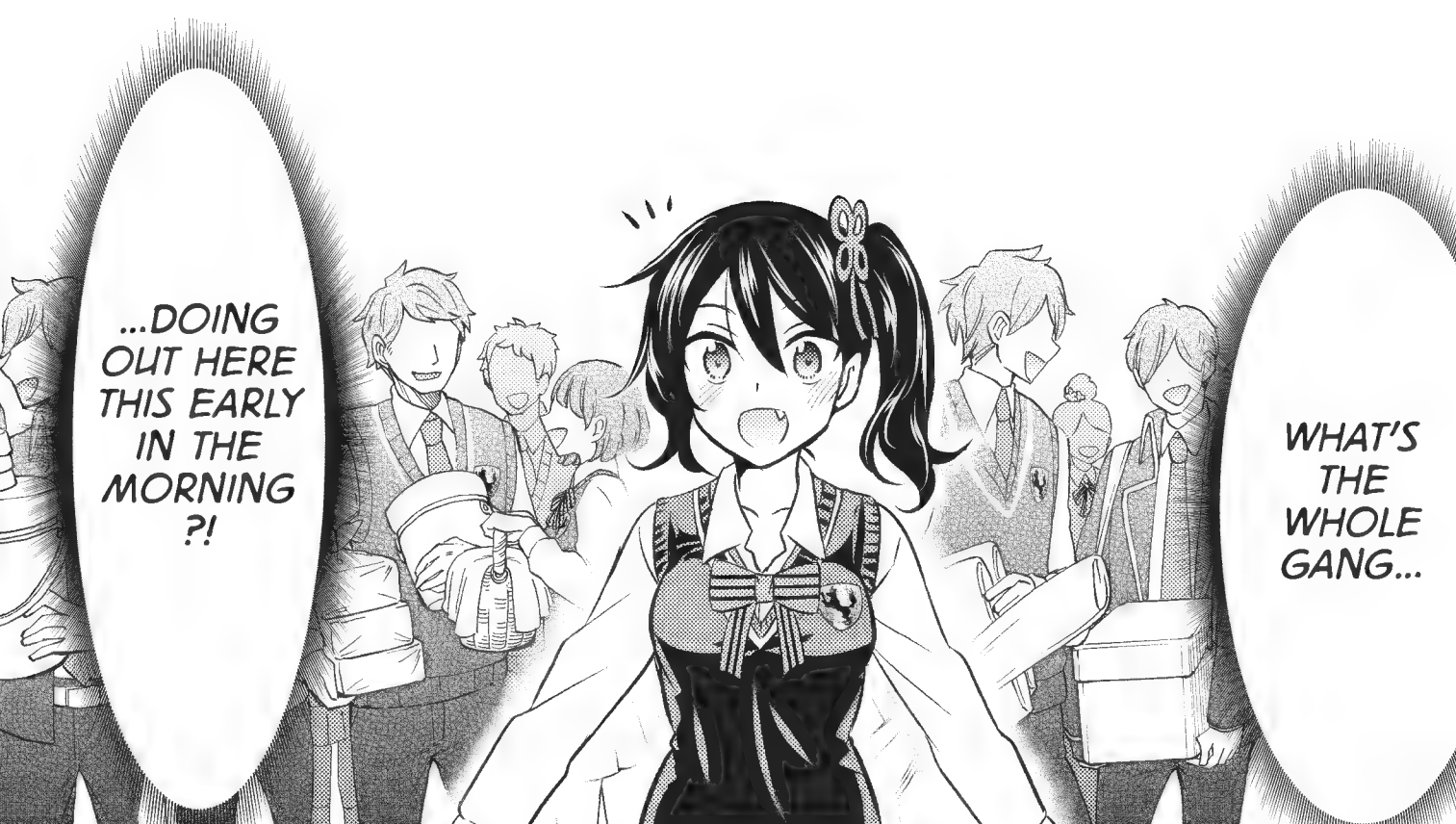
**BLUB**

**SORRY,  
PERSIA!!**

WHATCHA  
DOIN'?

LEMME  
GUESS,  
YA WET  
THE BED  
AND NOW  
YOU'RE  
WASHIN'  
YOUR  
SHEETS?





...DOING  
OUT HERE  
THIS EARLY  
IN THE  
MORNING  
?!

WHAT'S  
THE  
WHOLE  
GANG...



I TOLD YOU  
WE'RE GONNA  
HAVE A BLACK  
DOGGY  
PICNIC AT THE  
BACK HILL,  
REMEMBER,  
BRO?



WHEN YOU  
GAVE ME THOSE  
ABSENTMINDED  
ANSWERS,  
I THOUGHT  
YOU WEREN'T  
LISTENING TO  
ME, BRO!

HUH  
?

INUZUKA!  
YOU  
CAME!!

UHH  
...



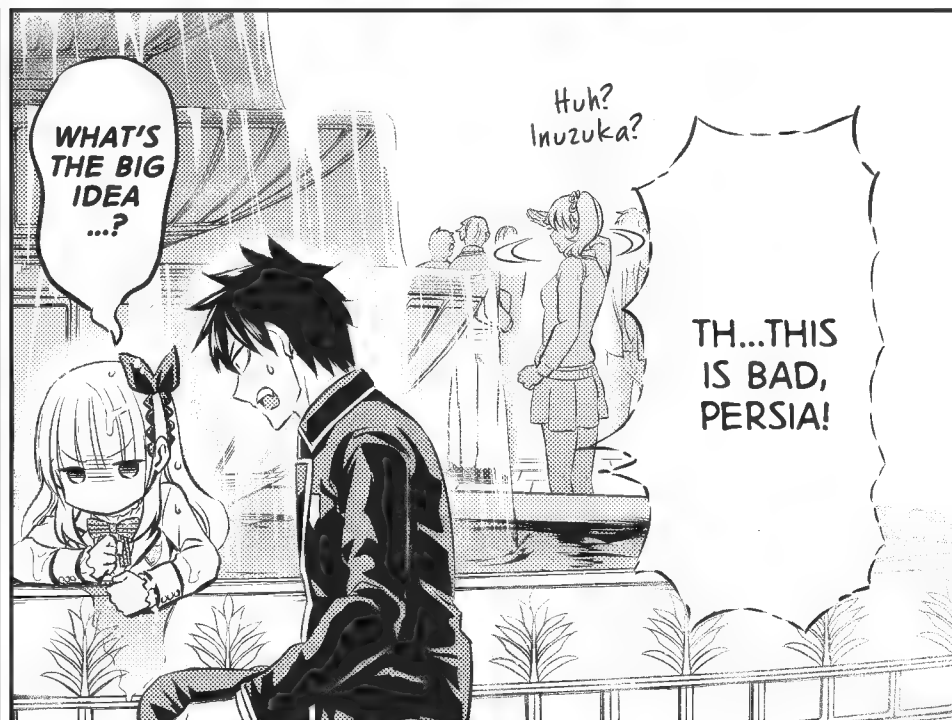
PUH-PUH-  
PUH-PUH-  
PIH-PIH-  
PIH-PIH-  
PICNIC?!

PUH-  
PIH-



OHH...A  
PICNIC...  
RIGHT...

A  
PICNI  
...

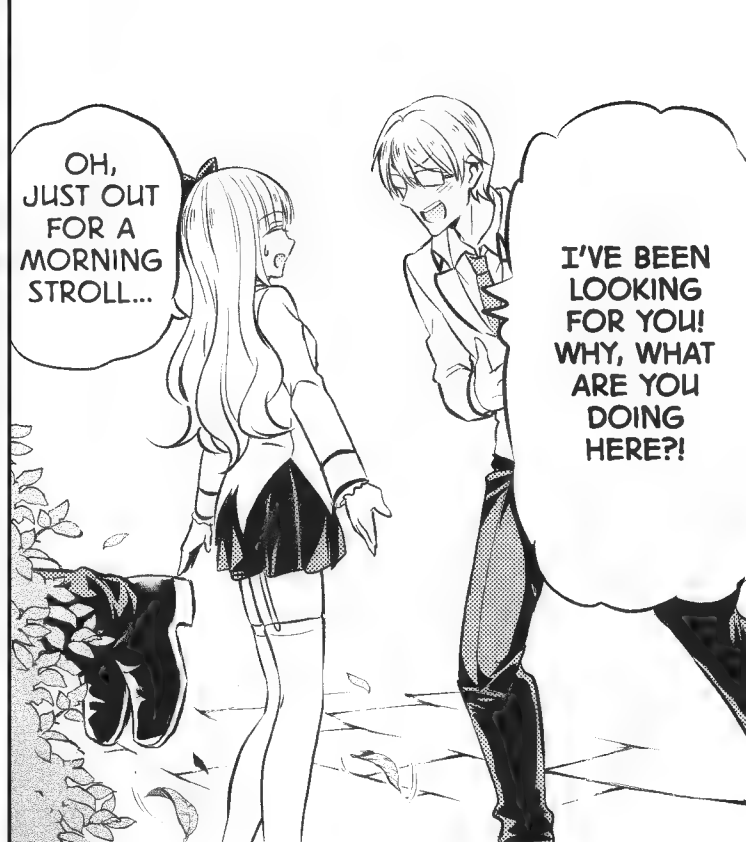






LET'S  
JUST  
CALL US  
EVEN...

HEY...



OH,  
JUST OUT  
FOR A  
MORNING  
STROLL...

I'VE BEEN  
LOOKING  
FOR YOU!  
WHY, WHAT  
ARE YOU  
DOING  
HERE?!



AH,  
YES! YOU  
SEE, THE  
WEATHER  
WAS SO  
DIVINE...

NOTHING!  
WHAT  
BRINGS YOU  
HERE?

DID YOU  
SAY  
SOME-  
THING?

...THAT I  
ROUSED  
OUR  
FELLOW  
WHITE  
CATS...



YOU  
GUYS,  
TOO?!



THIS'LL  
BE  
GREAT!

...AND  
NOW  
WE'RE OFF  
TO THE  
BACK HILL  
FOR A TEA  
PARTY.



**HMPH! IF  
YOU WANT  
IT, THEN  
YOU SHOULD  
WRITE YOUR  
NAME ON IT!!**

**THE BLACK  
DOGGIES  
CALLED  
THAT HILL  
FIRST, BRO!**

**HOLD  
IT  
RIGHT  
THERE!**



**PERSIA-  
SAMA,  
LET US  
PRECEDE  
THEM  
AND  
STAKE  
FIRST  
CLAIM!!**

**HUH  
?!**

**COME  
ON,  
INUZU-  
KA!!**

**OOF!**



**HOW  
DID  
THINGS  
TURN  
OUT  
LIKE  
THIS?!**

**H...**

**I'LL SHAKE OFF  
EVERY LAST  
ONE OF 'EM  
BY ANY MEANS  
NECESSARY...**

**DARN IT!  
I'M NOT  
GONNA  
GIVE UP!!**

**THIS  
WAY!**

**FOLLOW  
ME! I  
KNOW A  
SHORT-  
CUT!!**

**...SO WE  
CAN SEE  
THOSE  
FLOWERS  
FIRST!!**







JUST GON-  
NA...

...TAKE  
A LITTLE  
BREAK,  
BRO...



...GO  
ON...

I...I  
CAN'T...



INUZUKA  
!!



SORRY, HASUKI!!  
I'M REALLY  
SORRY!! WHEN  
THIS IS OVER,  
I'LL TREAT YOU  
TO A MEAL IN  
THE CAFETERIA!!



**PERSIA-SAMAAA!!**

**NO, THERE'S STILL...**

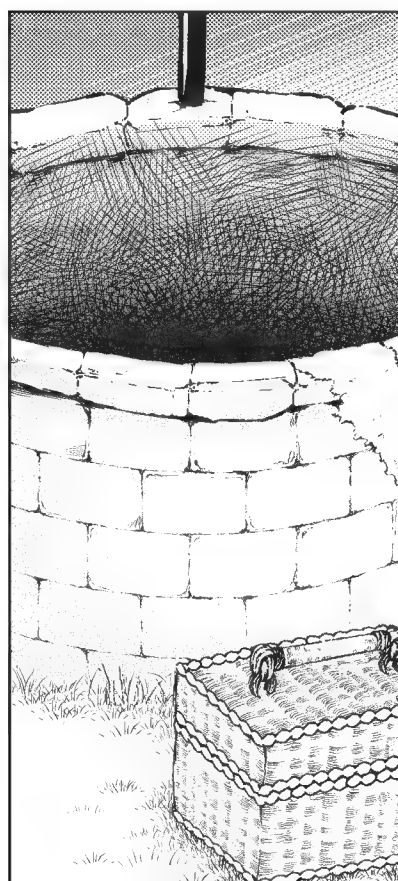
**YOU DID, TOO!**

**YOU SHOOK THEM OFF, RIGHT?!**



**SCOTT!**

**WHERE ARE YOUUU ?!**



**BUT I WILL CATCH UP TO HER NOW!!**



**OHH, I'M A COMPLETE DUNDER-HEAD! HOW COULD I LOSE SIGHT OF HER YET AGAIN...?**











HOW'S IT  
LOOK?  
THINK YOU  
CAN GET  
OUT?

H...

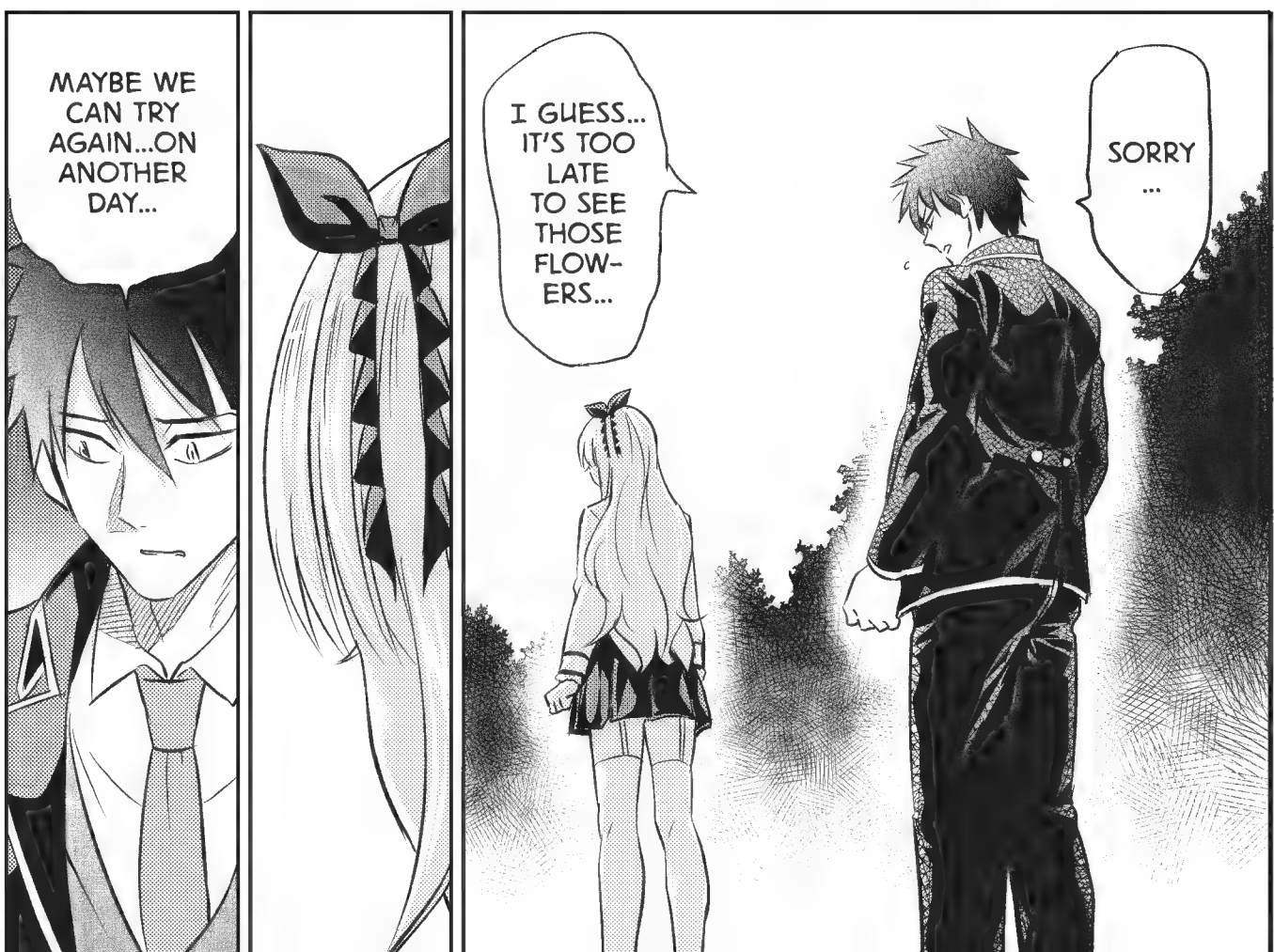
**F  
W  
O  
O  
P**

JUST A  
LITTLE  
MORE...

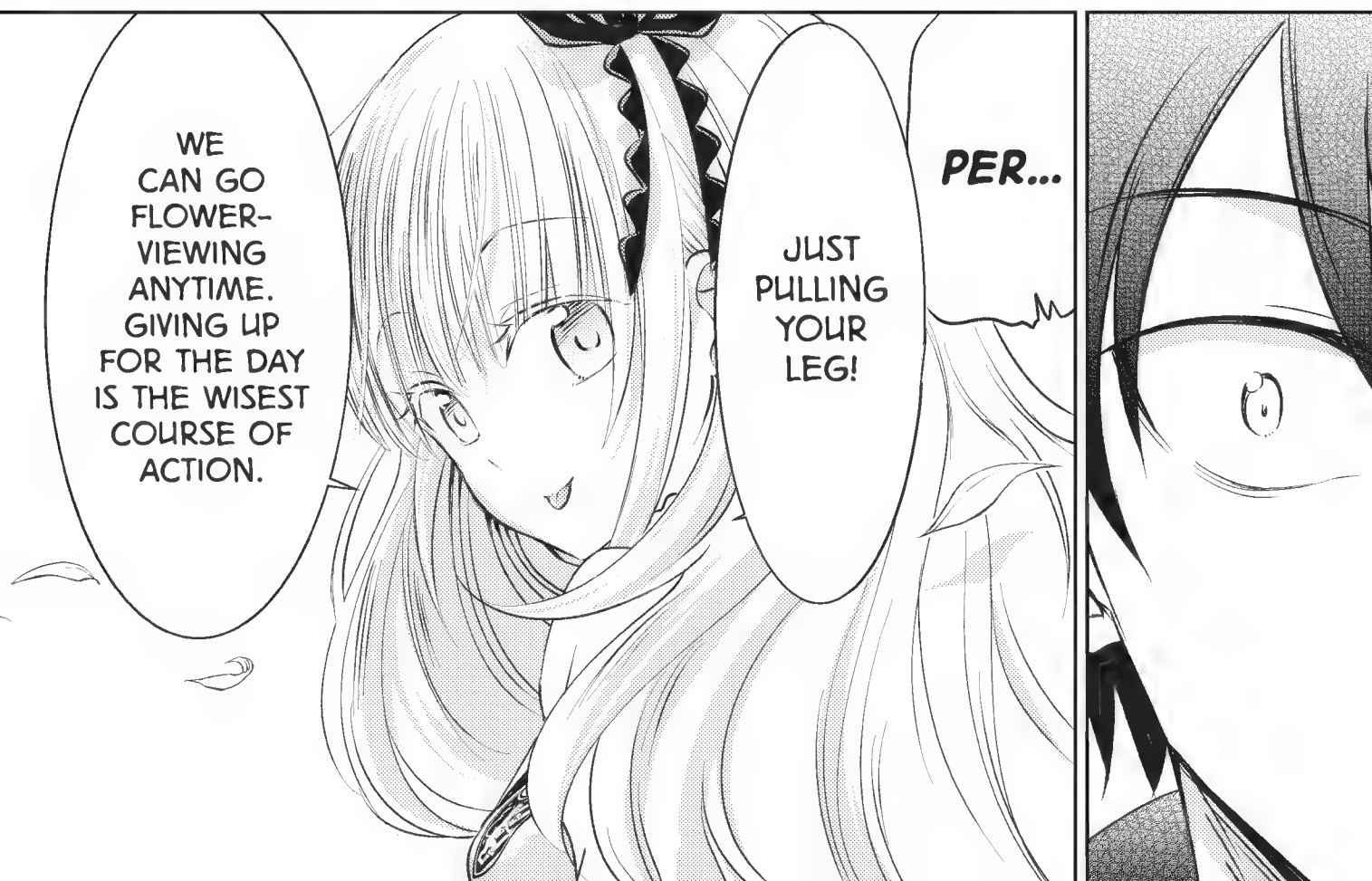
OH, MAN...  
WHAT AM  
I S'POSED  
T'DO HERE?







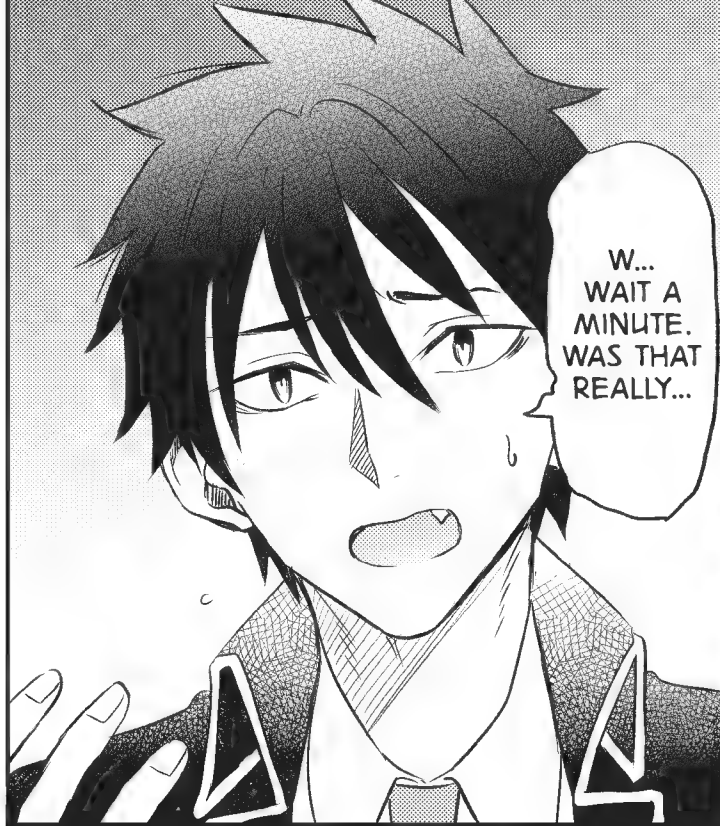




WE  
CAN GO  
FLOWER-  
VIEWING  
ANYTIME.  
GIVING UP  
FOR THE DAY  
IS THE WISEST  
COURSE OF  
ACTION.

JUST  
PULLING  
YOUR  
LEG!

**PER...**

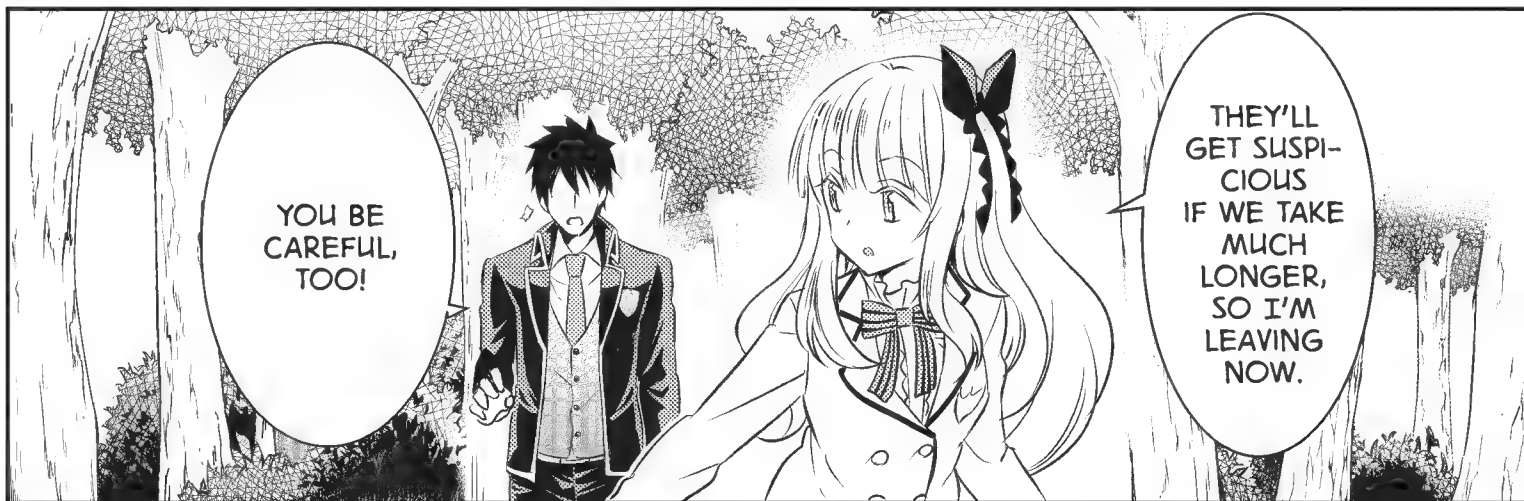


W...  
WAIT A  
MINUTE.  
WAS THAT  
REALLY...



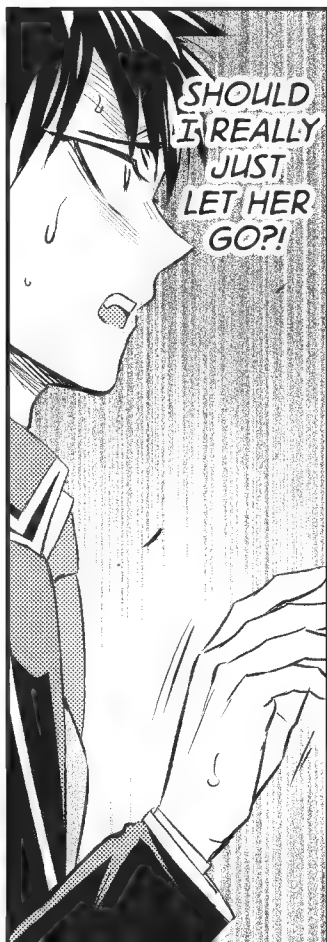
LET'S  
PART  
WAYS.

WELL, I'M  
GOING TO  
MEET UP  
WITH THE  
REST OF THE  
WHITE CATS.



YOU BE  
CAREFUL,  
TOO!

THEY'LL  
GET SUSPI-  
CIOUS  
IF WE TAKE  
MUCH  
LONGER,  
SO I'M  
LEAVING  
NOW.

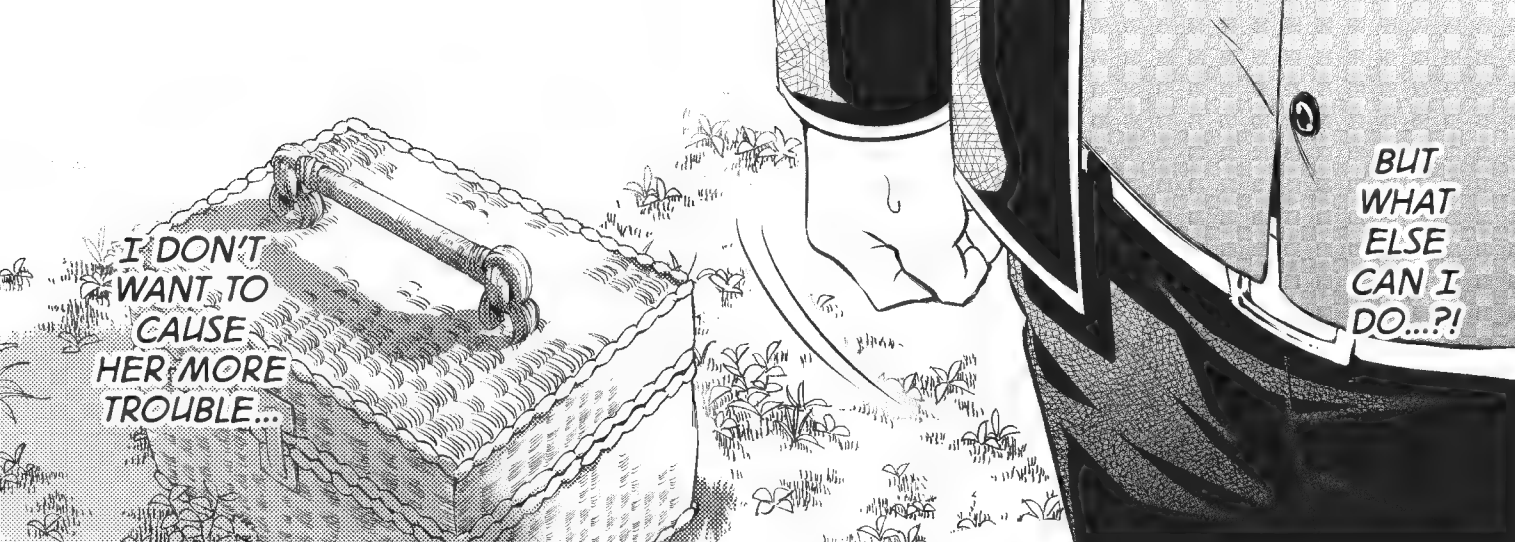


SHOULD  
I REALLY  
JUST  
LET HER  
GO?!



BYE.





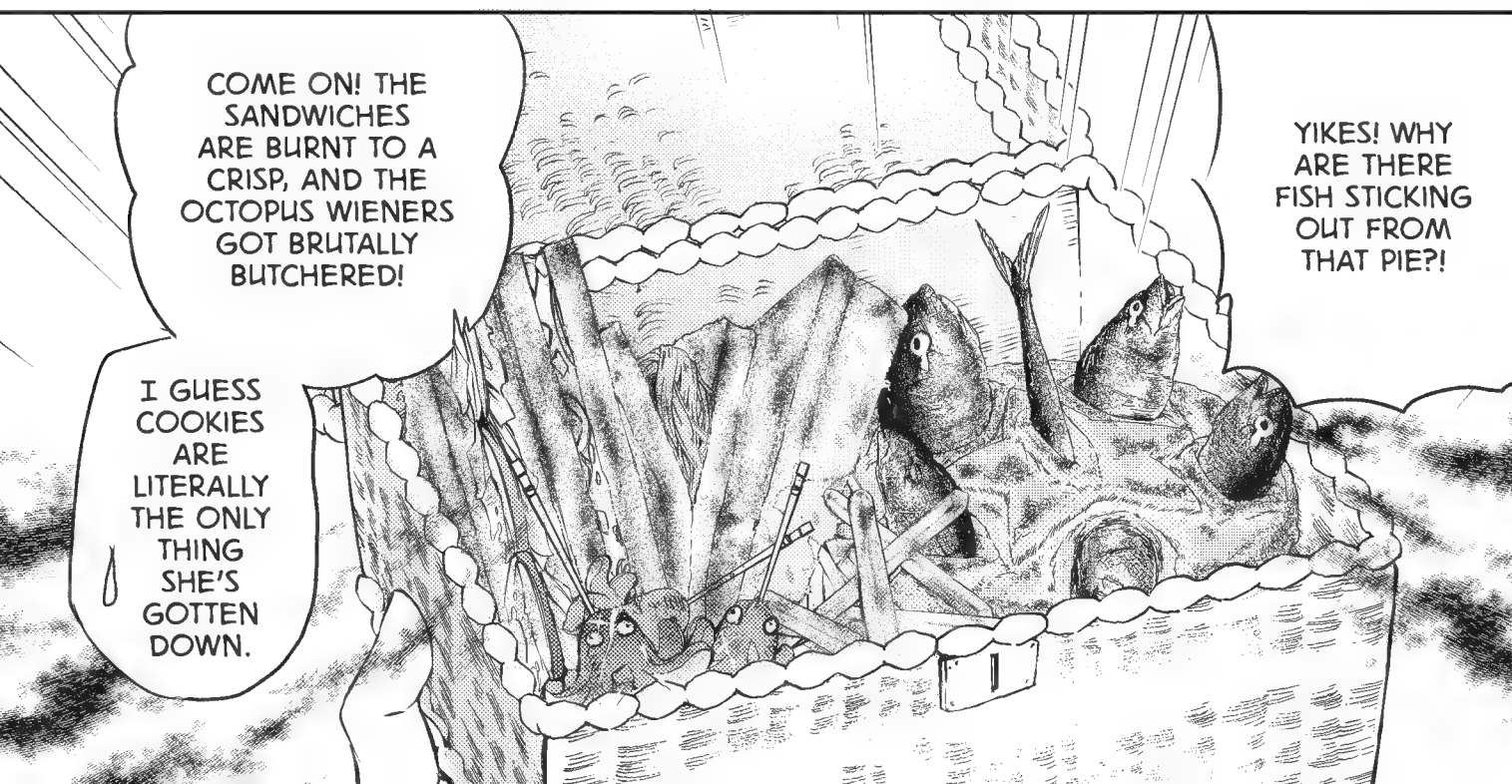
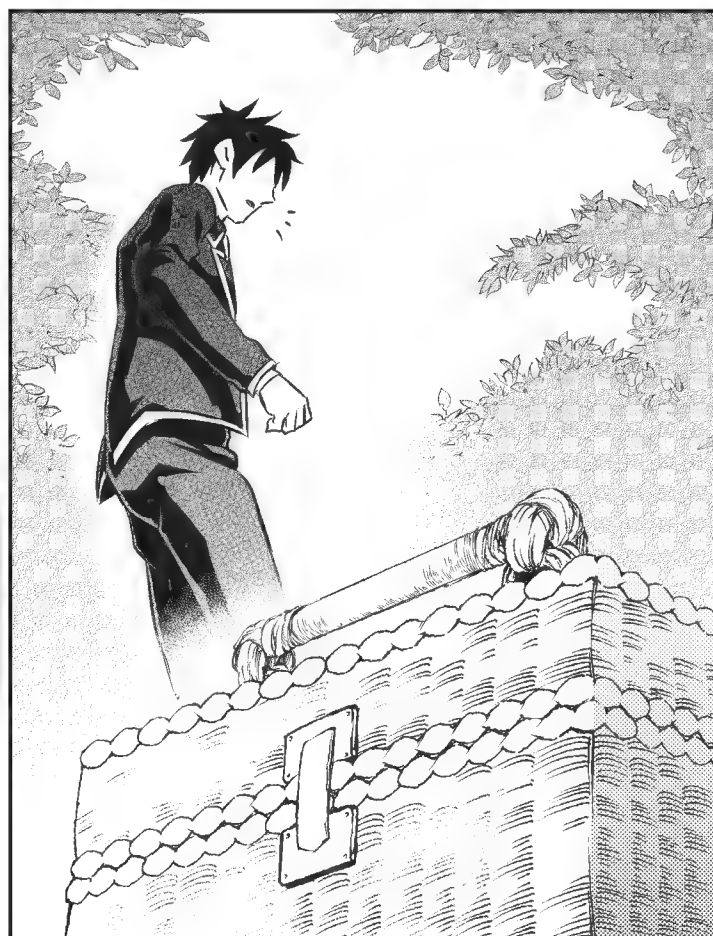
I DON'T  
WANT TO  
CAUSE  
HER MORE  
TROUBLE...

BUT  
WHAT  
ELSE  
CAN I  
DO...?!



SHE  
FORGOT  
IT?

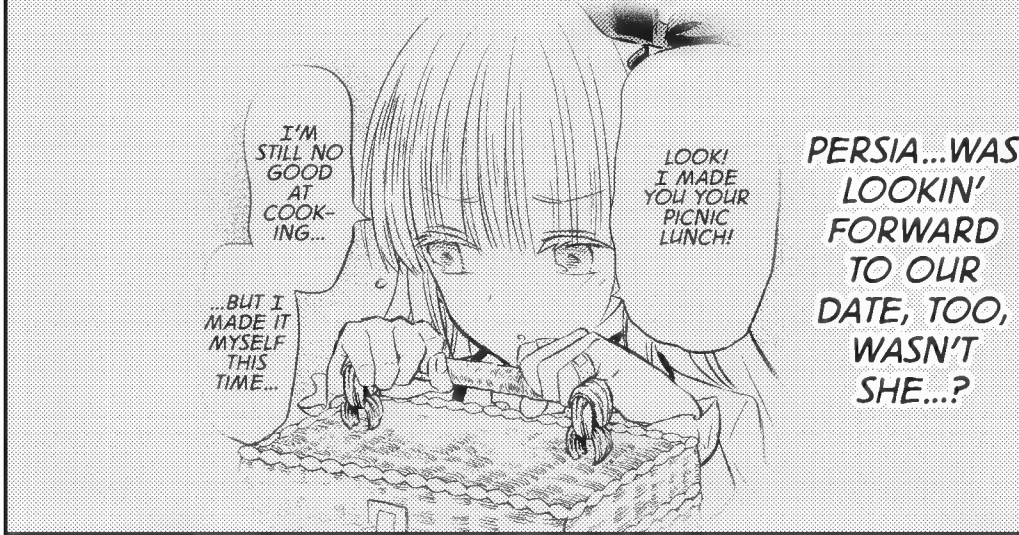
THE  
PICNIC  
LUNCH  
...



COME ON! THE  
SANDWICHES  
ARE BURNT TO A  
CRISP, AND THE  
OCTOPUS WIENERS  
GOT BRUTALLY  
BUTCHERED!

YIKES! WHY  
ARE THERE  
FISH STICKING  
OUT FROM  
THAT PIE?!

I GUESS  
COOKIES  
ARE  
LITERALLY  
THE ONLY  
THING  
SHE'S  
GOTTEN  
DOWN.



I'M  
STILL NO  
GOOD  
AT COOK-  
ING...

...BUT I  
MADE IT  
MYSELF  
THIS  
TIME...

LOOK!  
I MADE  
YOUR  
PICNIC  
LUNCH!

PERSIA...WAS  
LOOKIN'  
FORWARD  
TO OUR  
DATE, TOO,  
WASN'T  
SHE...?



DARN  
...

...SINCE  
I'M HER  
BOYFRIEND  
...

IN THAT  
CASE,  
WHEN  
SHE  
DOES  
ASK FOR  
SOME-  
THING  
SELFISH...



MAYBE IT'S  
'CAUSE SHE  
HAS TO ACT  
LIKE THIS  
FLAWLESS  
PERSON IN  
ORDER TO  
LEAD THE  
WHITE CATS.

SHE DOESN'T  
ASK FOR  
THINGS  
MUCH...

...I OUGHTA  
SPOIL HER,  
OR WHAT  
AM I GOOD  
FOR?!







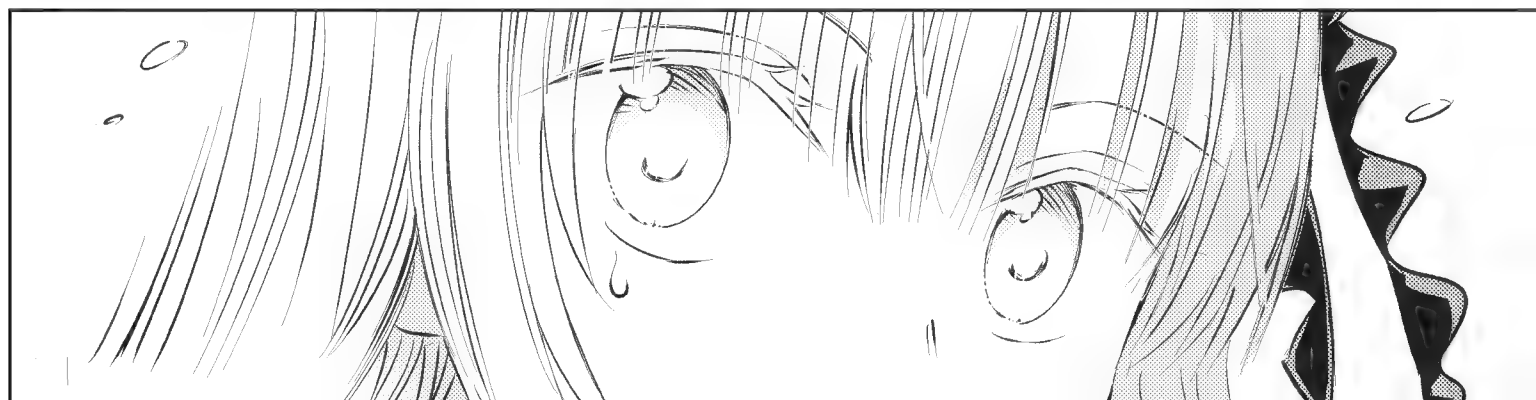
IT'S ALWAYS THIS WAY...WE CAN'T EVEN DO THE LITTLE THINGS THAT ARE NORMAL FOR OTHER COUPLES.



LEMME  
JOIN IN  
ON THE  
FUN,  
TOO!

NOW,  
**THIS**  
IS A  
DAHLIA  
ACADEMY-  
STYLE  
PICNIC,  
RIGHT?

HEY,  
HEY, HEY.  
YOU ALL  
LOOK LIKE  
YOU'RE  
HAVIN'  
FUN!







Y'KNOW  
WHAT  
THAT  
MEANS  
?

THERE  
AIN'T ANY  
TEACHERS TO  
STOP US ALL  
THE WAY OUT  
HERE!!



CURSE  
YOU,  
INUZU-  
KA...



GWAH!!

ATTACK  
!!

GYA  
HA  
HA  
HA

THAT  
MANI-  
ACAL  
LAUGH IS  
FREAK-  
ING ME  
OUT!!  
HE'S  
CRAZY!!



I'M  
GONNA  
BEAT  
YOU TO  
A PULP!!

I'LL  
WIPE  
YOU  
ALL  
OUT  
!!

CAN'T  
BREAT-  
HE...



WAIT  
A...

HUH  
?!

ALL RIGHT,  
GUYS!  
FOLLOW  
INUZUKA'S  
LEAD!



THAT  
INUZUKA...  
WIPE THEM  
ALL OUT?  
HE'S AS  
UNREASON-  
ABLE  
AS EVER!

IN THIS  
WORLD,  
IF YOU'RE  
ALWAYS  
PLAYING  
DEFENSE,  
YOU'LL  
NEVER GET  
ANYWHERE.

...THEN YOU  
HAVE TO  
SEIZE IT  
BY FORCE!!

BUT THAT'S  
RIGHT...

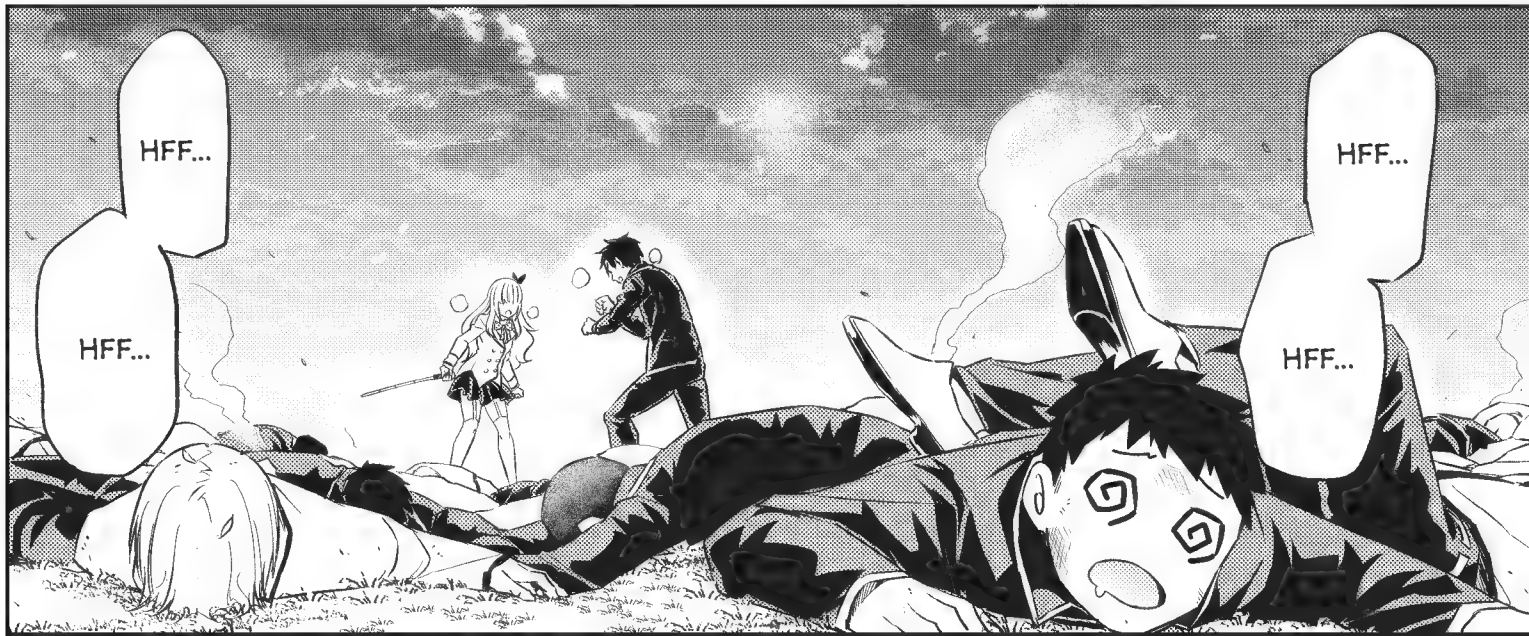
IF YOU  
HAVE A  
WISH YOU  
WANT  
GRANTED...

PERSIA'S  
STRONG,  
TOO!!

AUUUGH!











WE SAID  
WE'D TRY  
AGAIN  
ANOTHER  
DAY...

I WAS  
WONDERING...  
WHY DID YOU  
COME BACK?

WHEW...  
WE CAN  
FINALLY  
RELAX.



OH, YES.  
I'M MAD.  
YOU'RE  
MUCH TOO  
RECKLESS.

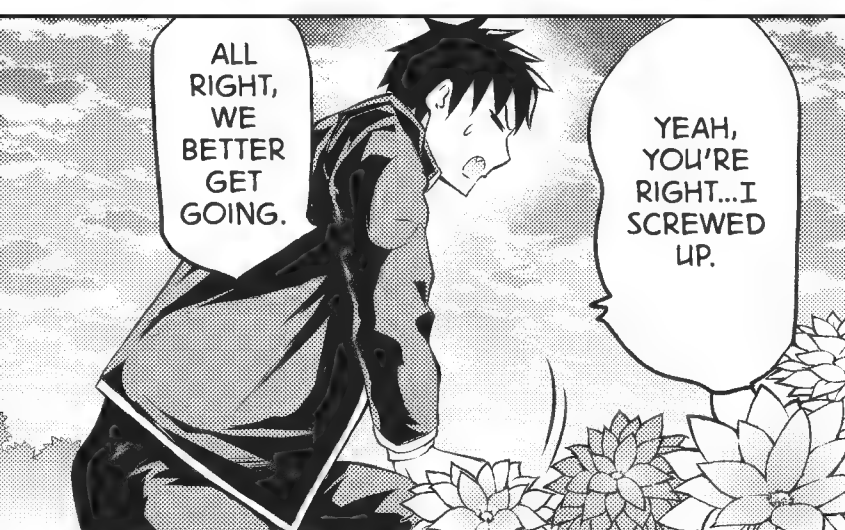
THE ENTIRE  
TIME, I WAS  
WORRIED  
WE'D BE  
FOUND OUT.

ARE YOU  
MAD?



I FIGURED WE  
COULD ENJOY  
THE FLOWERS  
FOR AT LEAST  
A LITTLE BIT  
IF EVERYBODY  
ELSE WAS  
PASSED OUT.

THAT'S SO  
EXTREME!!



ALL  
RIGHT,  
WE  
BETTER  
GET  
GOING.

YEAH,  
YOU'RE  
RIGHT...I  
SCREWED  
UP.



**BECAUSE  
OUR  
LOVE IS A  
SECRET...**

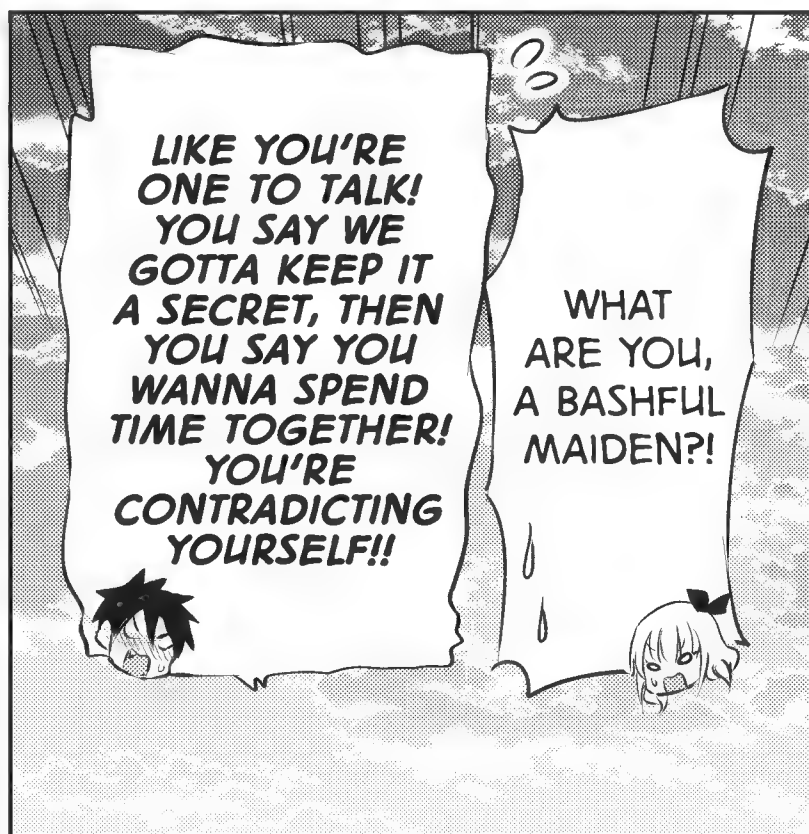
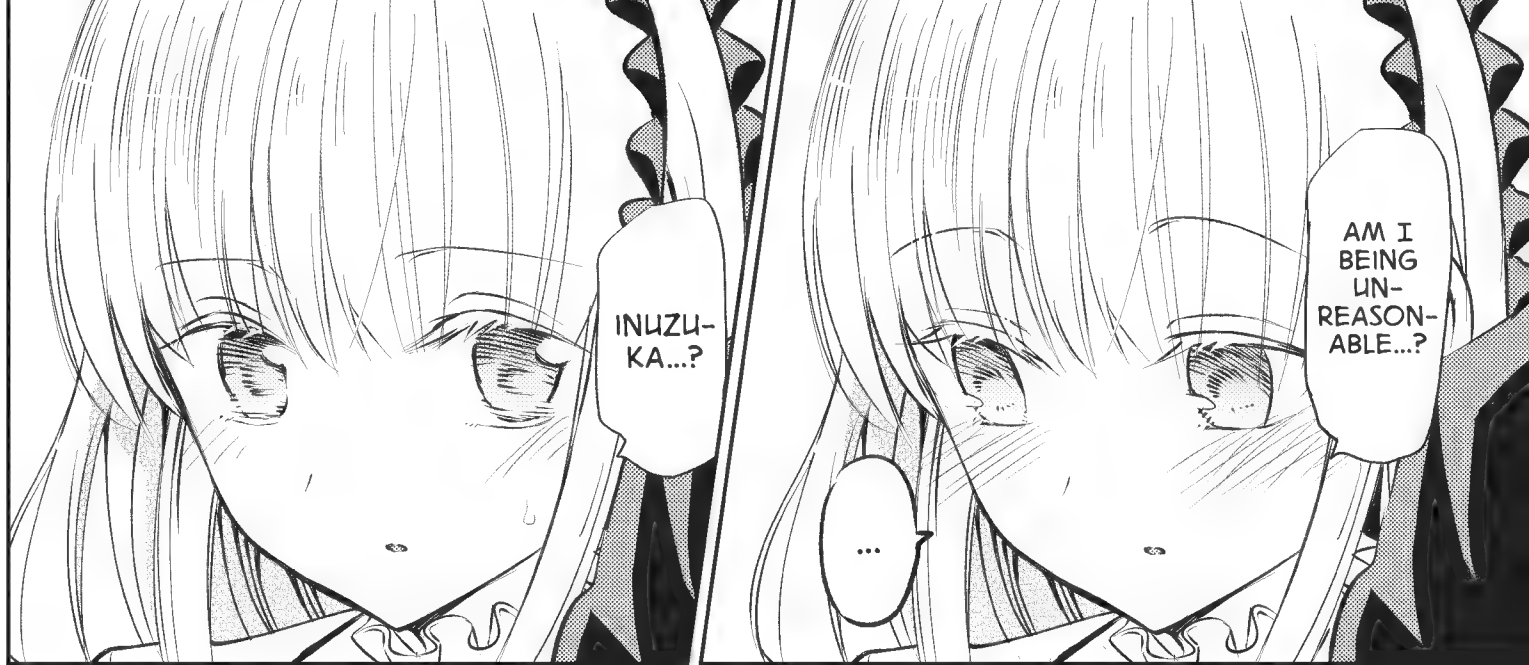


BUT I  
WANT...

...TO STAY  
LIKE THIS  
A LITTLE  
LONGER...











SORRY  
I'M LATE!  
IS THE  
PICNIC  
STILL  
GOING?!

INUZU-  
KAAA  
!!

HUH?

**YOU'RE GOING DOWN!!**

**WHAM**

WHUH  
?

I SEE  
IT'LL BE  
A ROCKY  
ROAD...

PERSIA-  
SAMA, ARE  
YOU UN-  
HARMED?!

AH!  
BOTHER!  
I'D LOST  
CON-  
SCIOUS-  
NESS...

GEEZ,  
NOT SO  
LOUD!!

**I'M** THE ONE  
WHO ALMOST  
HAD A HEART  
ATTACK, BRO!!  
WHAT WERE  
YOU TWO EVEN  
DOING?!

WAIT,  
IT'S JUST  
YOU?! YOU  
ALMOST  
GAVE ME  
A HEART  
ATTACK!!

## DAHLIA ACADEMY GUIDE #1: MAIN BUILDING

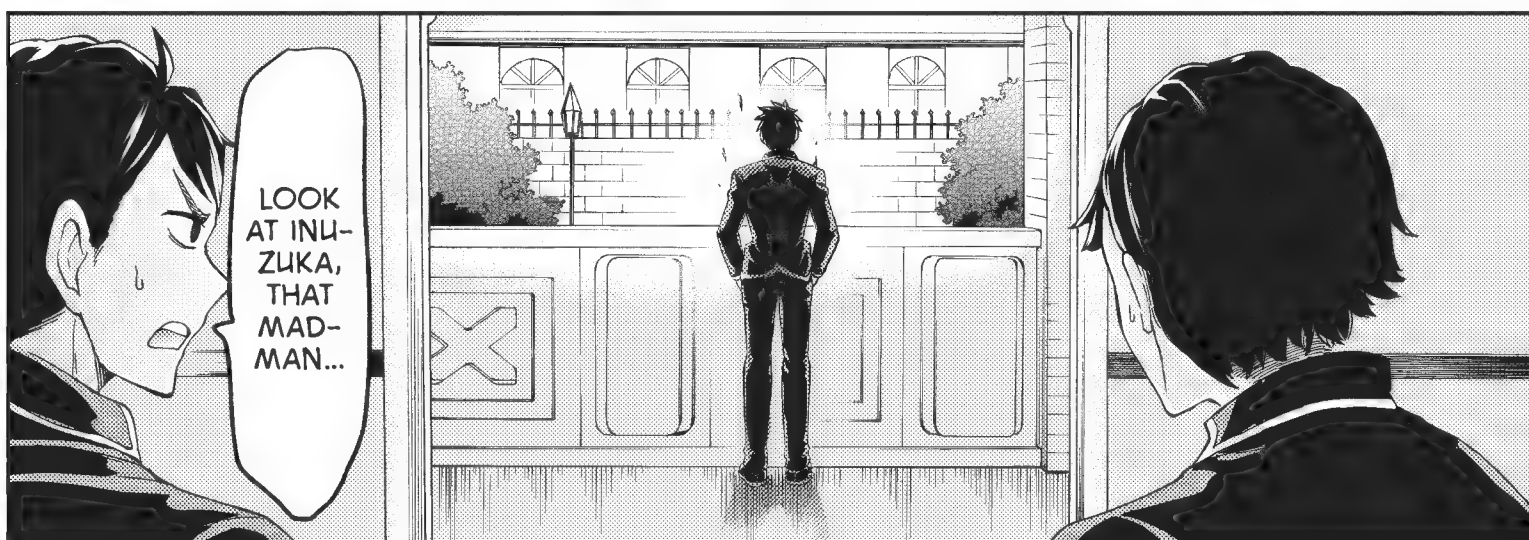
This building is used by all students, and houses staff rooms, large conference rooms, the historical archive, the student affairs office, the computer lab, etc.



ACT 27:

ROMIO & THE PHOTO





LOOK  
AT INU-  
ZUKA,  
THAT  
MAD-  
MAN...



HE'S BEEN  
GLARING  
AT WHITE  
CAT HOUSE  
NONSTOP.

HE'S  
BEEN  
TOTALLY  
FIRED  
UP EVER  
SINCE HE  
MADE HIS  
COME-  
BACK AS  
LEADER!

HE MUST  
BE ITCHING  
TO SETTLE  
THINGS WITH  
PERSIA ONCE  
AND FOR  
ALL.

IF  
LOOKS  
COULD  
KILL...



AS  
SUMMER  
PASSED US  
BY, YOUR  
ABSENCE  
ONLY MADE  
MY HEART  
GROW  
FONDER,  
MY DEAR...

I WANT TO  
FEEL YOU  
CLOSER TO  
ME, BUT OUR  
SITUATION  
IS OUT OF  
MY HANDS...  
SIGH...

**AHHHH!  
I  
WANNA  
SEE  
PERSIA  
SO  
BAD!!**



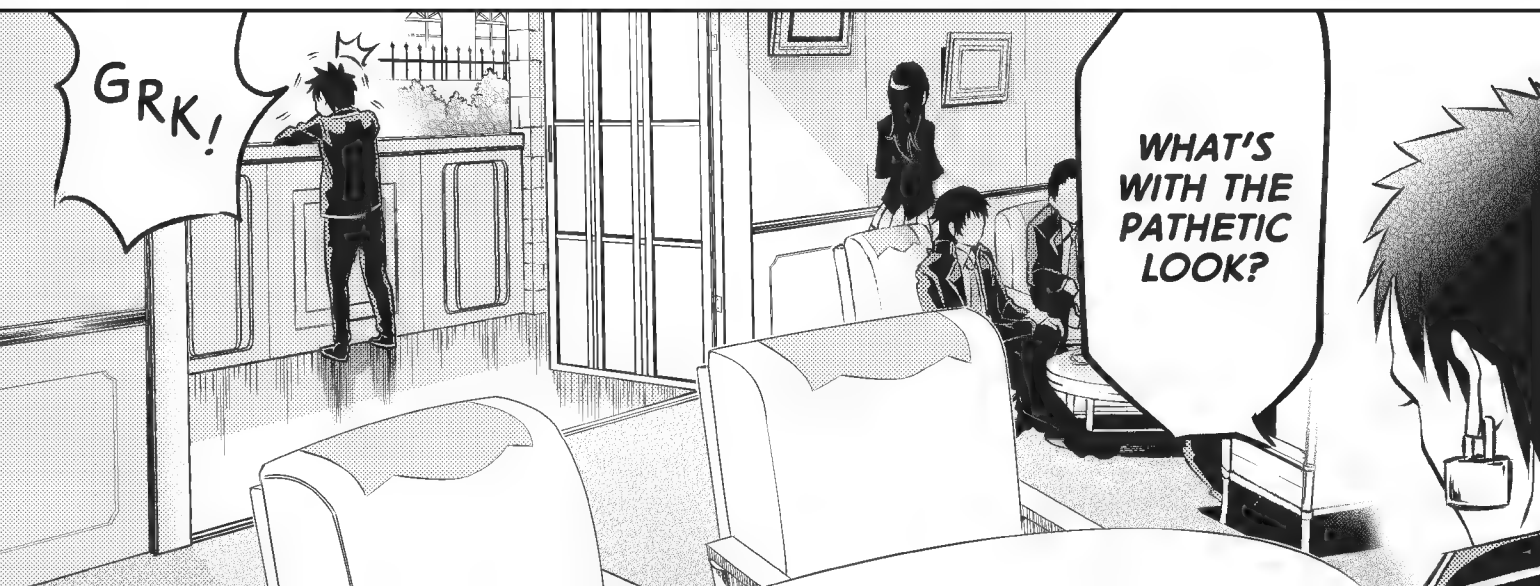
7"  
72  
RRRUH

**OR  
NOT.**



BEING  
APART  
FROM  
PERSIA  
OVER  
SUMMER  
VACATION  
HAD  
ENFLAMED  
HIS  
ROMANTIC  
STREAK.

I'D GAZE  
AT YOUR  
FACE 24/7  
IF IT WAS  
POSSIBLE...  
IS THERE  
ANY GOOD  
WAY TO  
DO THAT?



**GRK!**

**WHAT'S  
WITH THE  
PATHETIC  
LOOK?**





UGH! IT'S  
MARU'S  
GANG!!

NO WONDER  
YOU STILL  
CAN'T EVEN  
TAKE DOWN  
PRETTY LITTLE  
PERSIA.



I ain't  
sharin'  
my ba-  
nana.

KENTO TOSA



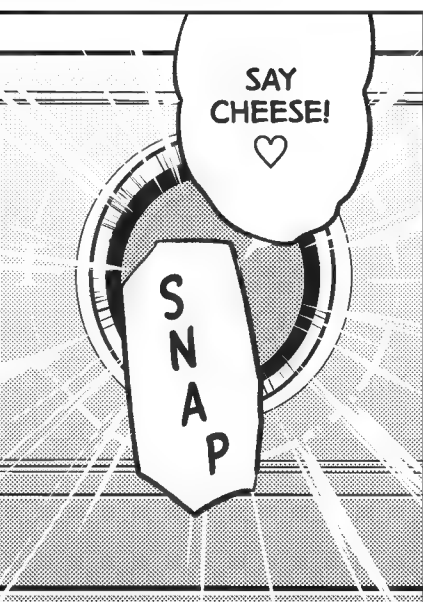
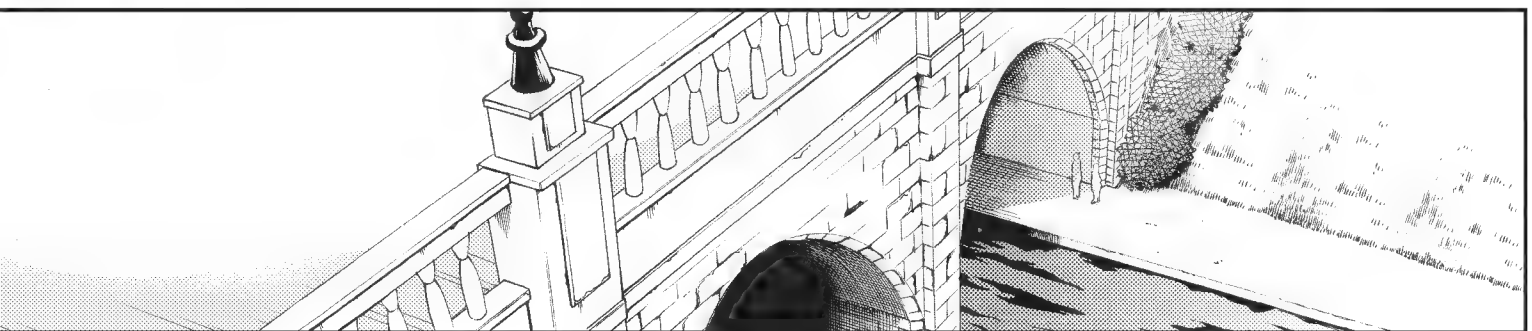
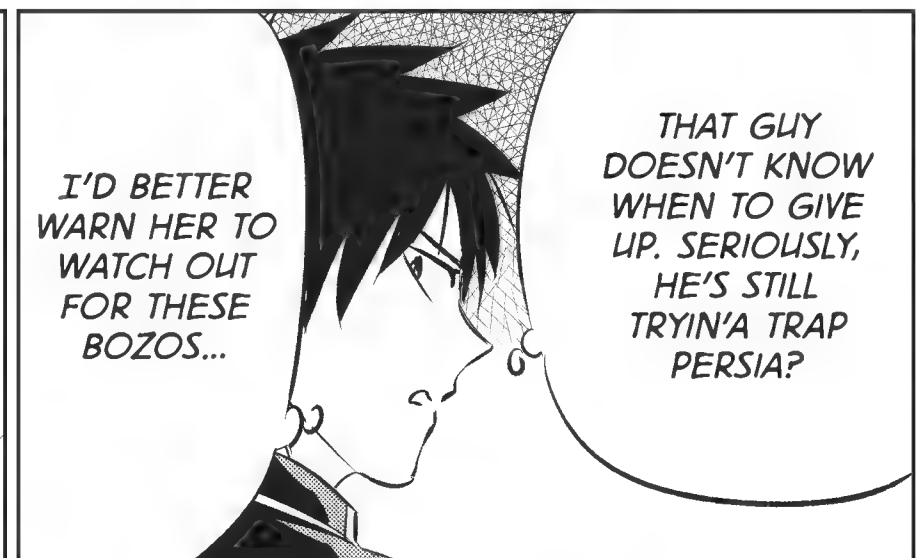
HEY AAA!

EIGO KOHITSUJI



YOUR WAY  
OF DOING  
THINGS  
IS TOO  
NAMBY-  
PAMBY.

CHIZURU MARU













THAT'S COLD !!!

NOT PARTICULARLY.



BLUUUSH  
㇏???

WELL, SINCE I ALREADY GOT IT ANYWAY, DON'T YOU WANT A PHOTO OF US...?

DID I JUMP THE GUN?!



WE CAN'T BE SURE NO ONE WILL FIND IT! IF WE WANT TO KEEP OUR RELATIONSHIP A SECRET, WE NEED TO BE MORE CAREFUL, REMEMBER?

ARE YOU OUT OF YOUR MIND?!

I'LL HIDE IT IN A LOCKET AND GUARANTEE NOBODY EVER FINDS IT, I SWEAR!!

DON'T ASK ME.

WHEN YOU'RE A COUPLE, YOU SHOULD HAVE A PHOTO OR TWO OF YOUR SWEETHEART, RIGHT?!



WHY ?!!

IF WE BURY IT AFTERWARD.



Y-YEAH...YOU'RE... YOU'RE RIGHT. MY BAD...MY HEART GOT AHEAD OF MY BRAIN THERE.

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HUH? SO YOU'RE UP FOR IT?!

WELL, I SUPPOSE TAKING ONE PHOTO CAN'T HURT.



...



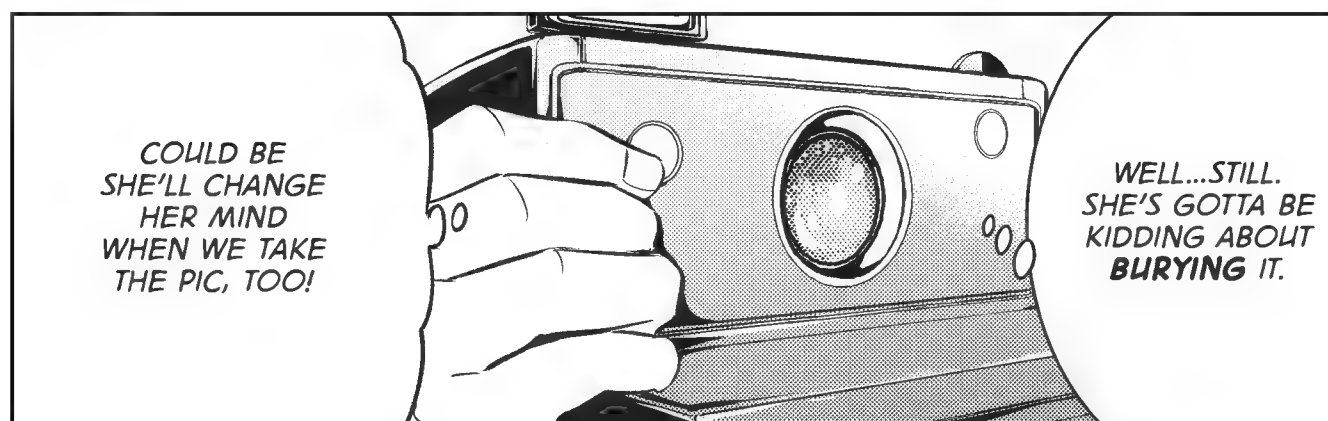
PERSIA IS  
SUPER-LOGICAL.  
SHE GETS,  
LIKE, WEIRDLY  
BUSINESSLIKE  
ABOUT STUFF  
LIKE THIS...

UH, THAT  
DEFEATS  
THE  
WHOLE  
POINT OF  
TAKING  
THE  
PHOTO!!

WE'LL  
ONLY  
**TAKE** THE  
PHOTO.

IF YOU  
WON'T  
ACCEPT  
MY TERMS,  
THEN  
YOU CAN  
FORGET IT.

WE CAN'T  
AFFORD  
TO LEAVE  
ANY CON-  
CLUSIVE  
EVIDENCE  
POINTING  
TO OUR  
RELATION-  
SHIP, OF  
COURSE!!



COULD BE  
SHE'LL CHANGE  
HER MIND  
WHEN WE TAKE  
THE PIC, TOO!

WELL...STILL.  
SHE'S GOTTA BE  
KIDDING ABOUT  
**BURYING** IT.



SHOULD WE  
GO ALL-OUT  
AND DRESS UP  
IN COSTUMES?!

Master!  
♡

Ohh, I'm  
nervous...

ALL RIGHT,  
HOW SHOULD  
WE POSE?!



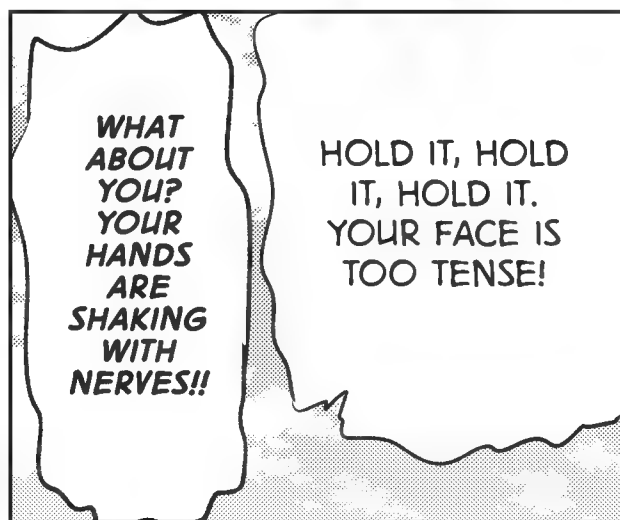
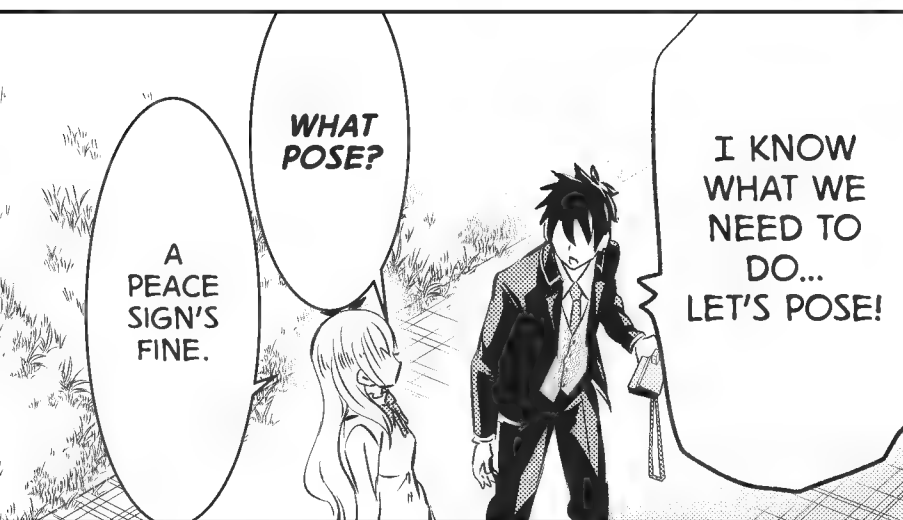
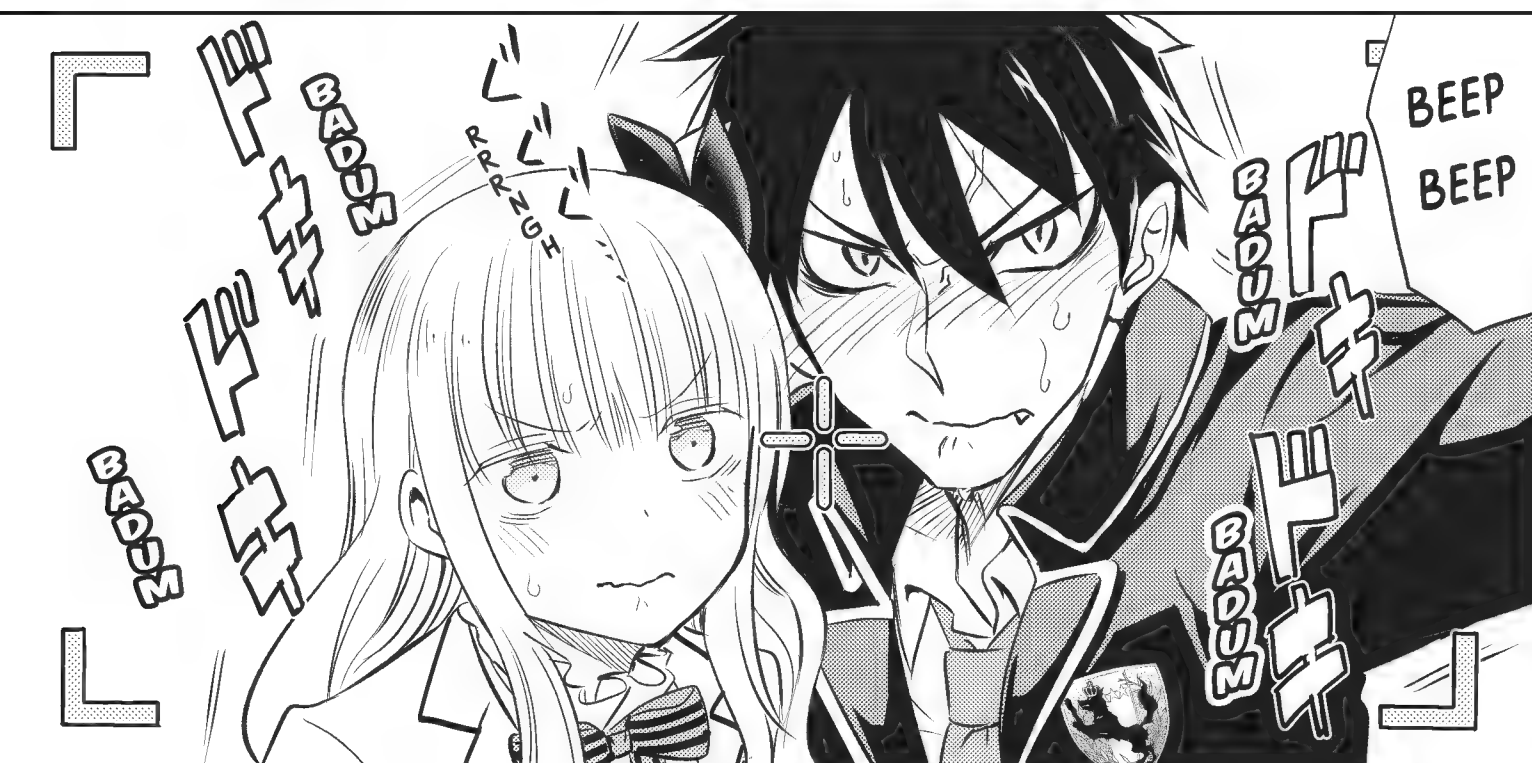


N-NO, I'M NOT!!

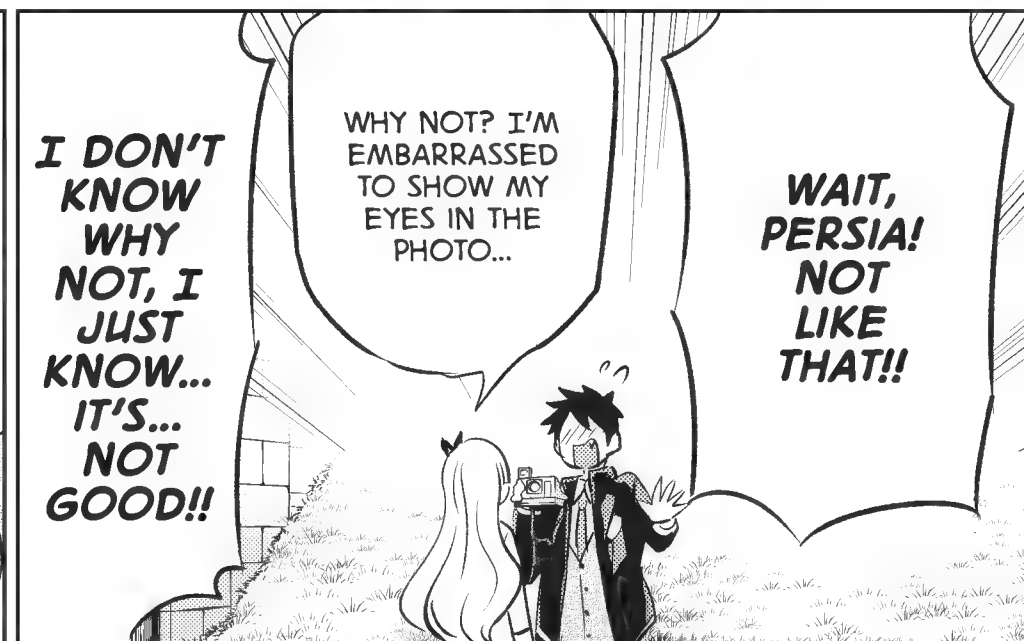


MUST I?  
I FEEL EMBARRASSED  
...

YEAH, BUT YOU'RE NOT GONNA BE IN THE PHOTO AT ALL IF YOU'RE BACK THERE!! COME ON!!





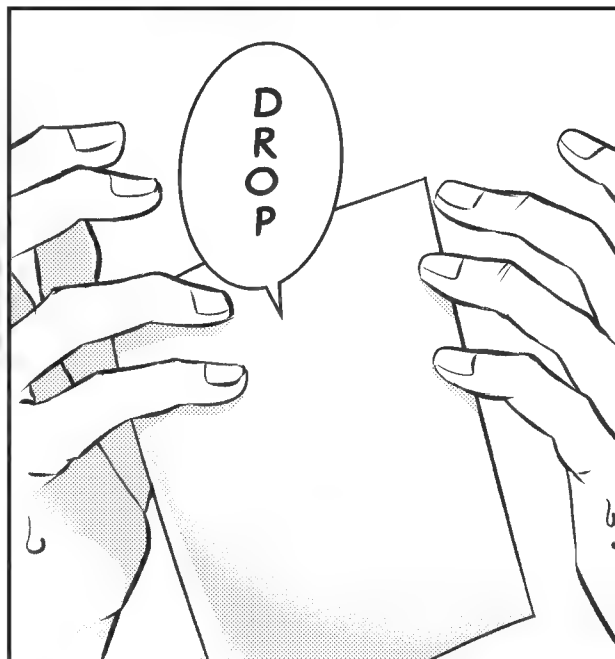
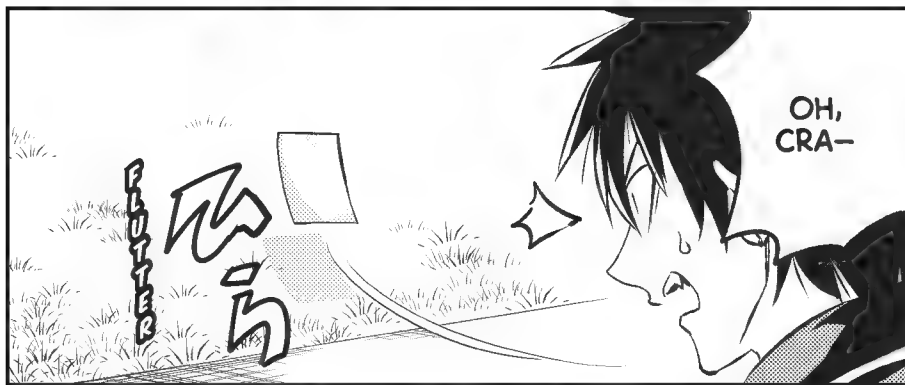




**COOL IT,  
COOL IT,  
COOL IT!!**







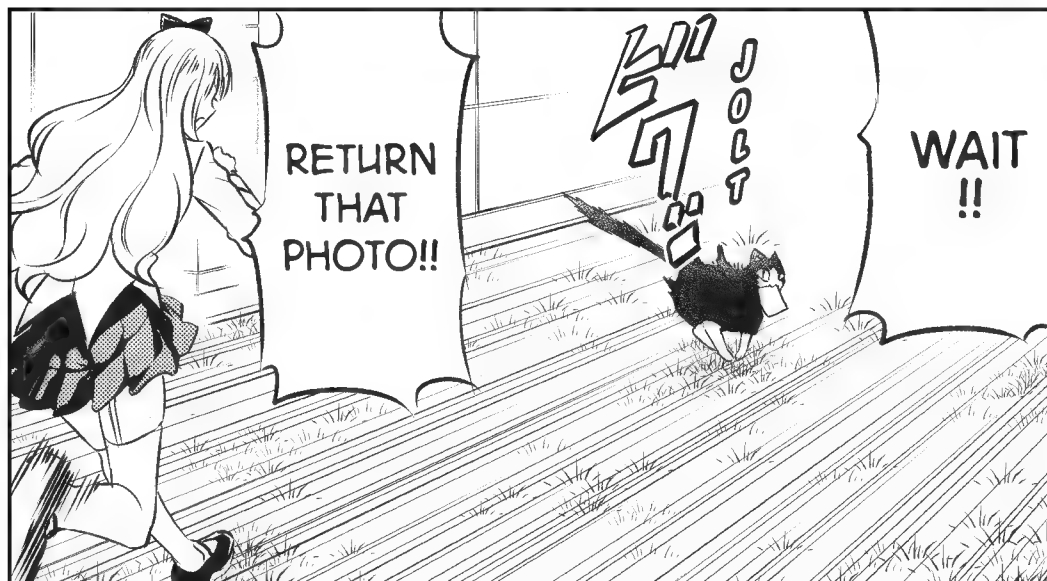


















DRAT!!  
IT LANDED  
RIGHT AT  
THE FEET  
OF THE  
MOST DAN-  
GEROUS  
PERSON OF  
ALL!

WHAT GIVES?  
IT'S ALL  
BLURRY.

MAYBE  
IT'S STILL  
DEVELOP-  
ING?

HUH?

MARU!!



YOU'RE  
LOOKIN'  
AWFULLY  
PALE  
THERE!

WHY SO  
SERIOUS  
?

NOT SO  
FAST!



PLEASE...  
RETURN  
THAT.



OOOOH,  
YOU'RE IN  
HOT WATER,  
AREN'T YA?!  
HA HA HA!

...!!

IT'D BE  
*THAT* BAD  
IF ANYBODY  
SAW IT,  
HUH?









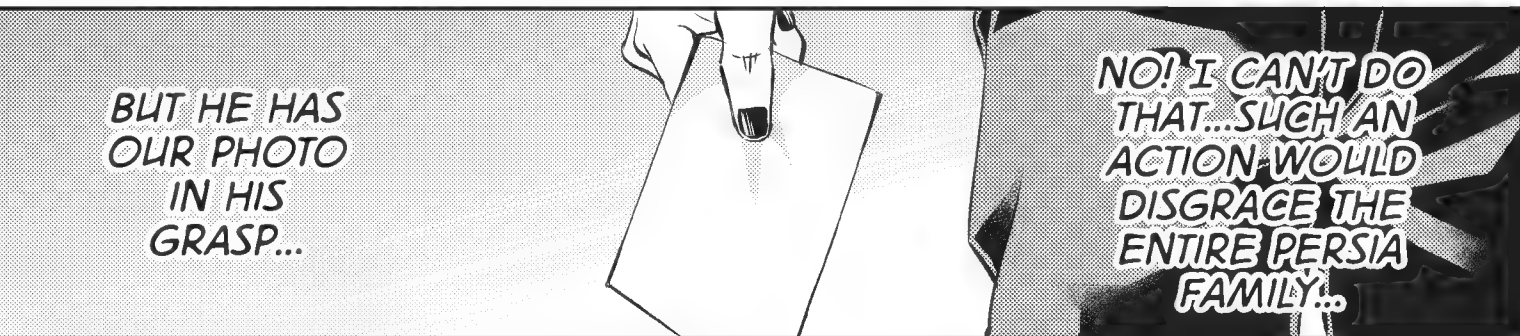
HE WANTS ME  
TO TAKE SUCH  
A HUMILIATING  
POSE IN FRONT  
OF ALL OF  
THESE  
PEOPLE?!

THAT'S  
TOUWA-  
STYLE  
PROSTRA-  
TION?!



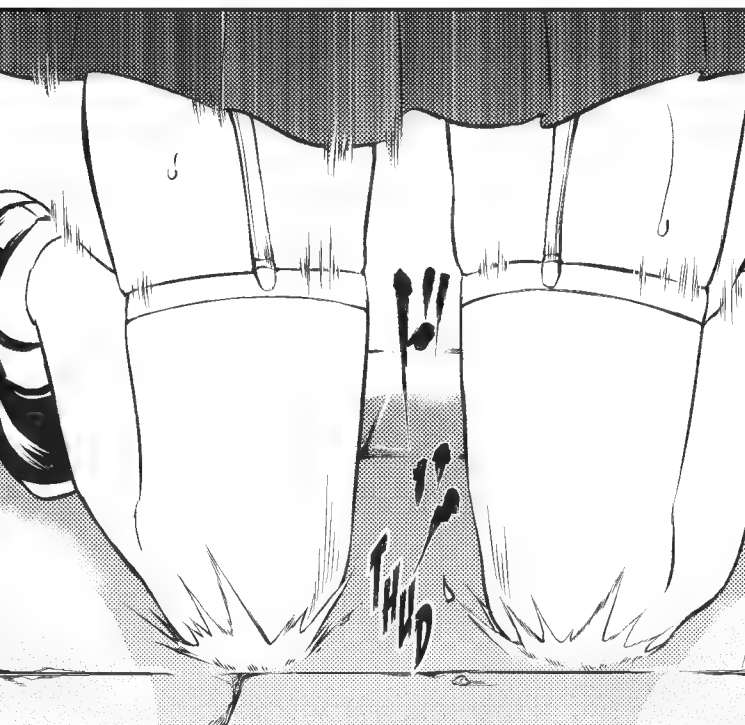
SHUDDUP,  
OR  
YOU'RE  
A DEAD  
MAN!!

THAT'S OUR  
MARU-KUN!  
NICE IMPROV!



BUT HE HAS  
OUR PHOTO  
IN HIS  
GRASP...

NO! I CAN'T DO  
THAT...SUCH AN  
ACTION WOULD  
DISGRACE THE  
ENTIRE PERSIA  
FAMILY...



THUD



I'VE NO  
CHOICE...BUT  
TO COMPLY...



I...

I'M  
S...

RR MB

RR MB

THUD







DAM-MIT...



I TOLD YOU, I DIDN'T TAKE ANY SCUMMY PHOTOS! YOU CAN EVEN CHECK MY CAMERA!

WE CAUGHT YOU! NOW COME TO THE OFFICE QUIETLY!!



SKUF



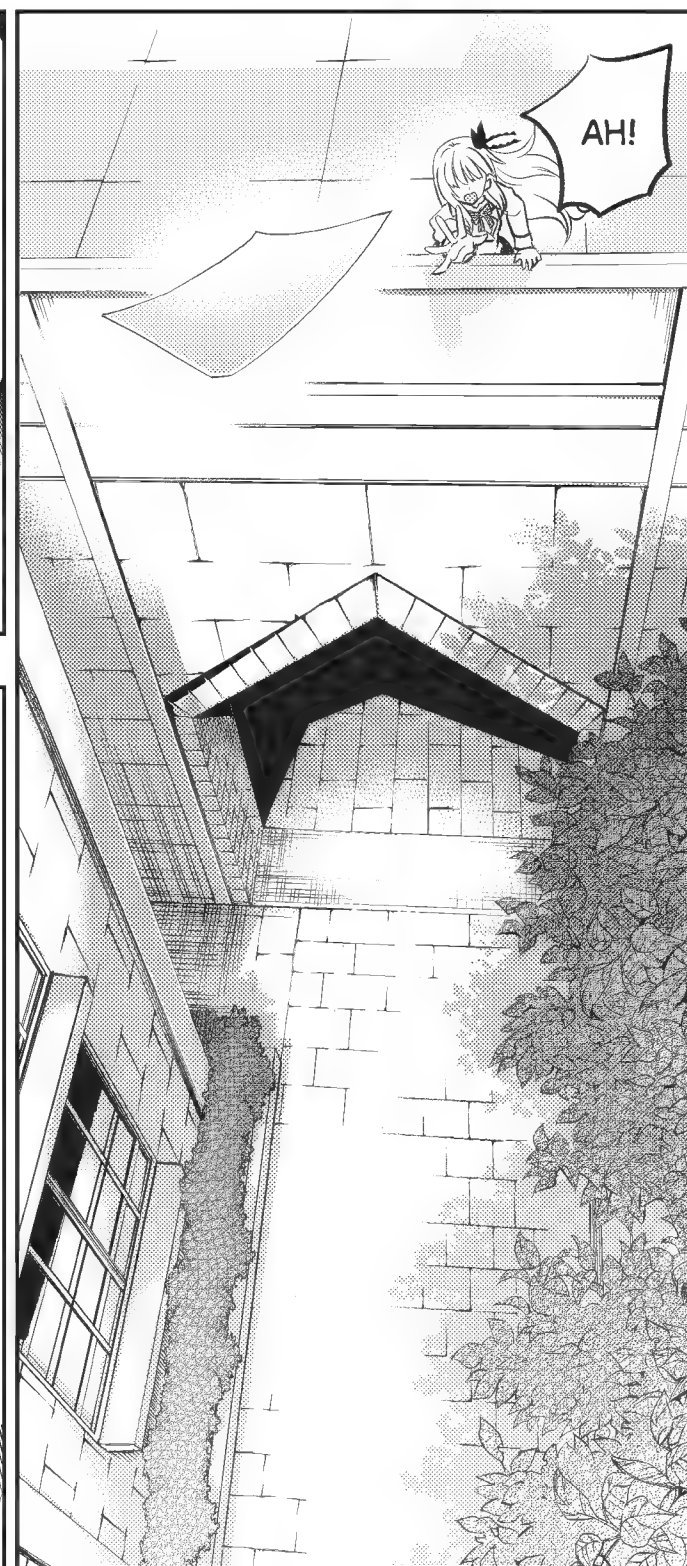
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!

YOU'RE NOT GOING ANYWHERE WITH THAT PHOTO.

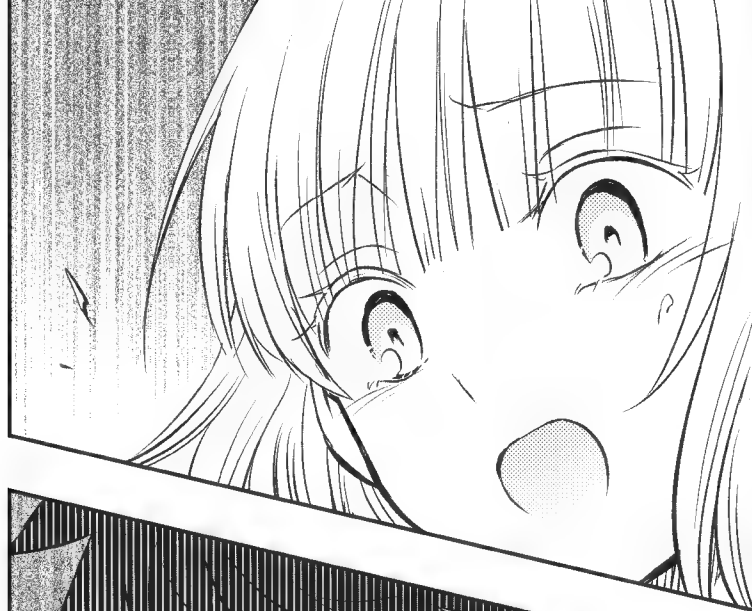
BEAT IT!

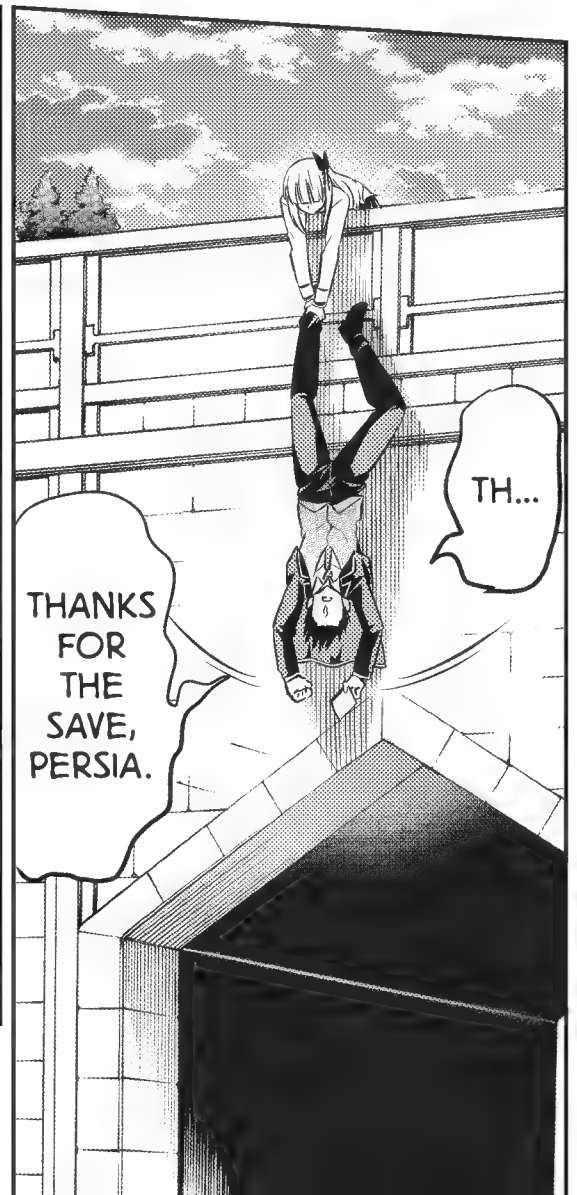
















IF ANY-  
BODY  
HAD  
SEEN  
THIS—



HUH?



I'M EX-  
HAUST-  
ED...

THAT WAS  
A CLOSE  
SHAVE...



*IT'S  
JUST A  
BLUR...*



SO, THE  
PHOTO  
DIDN'T  
TURN  
OUT...

...OH...I  
SEE...

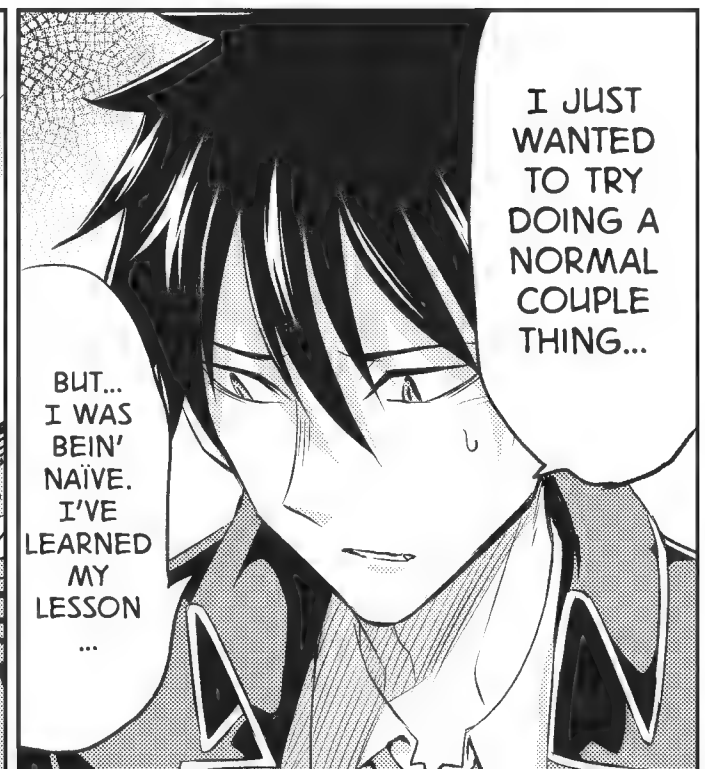


WHAT DID  
WE GO  
THROUGH  
ALL THAT  
FOR?!



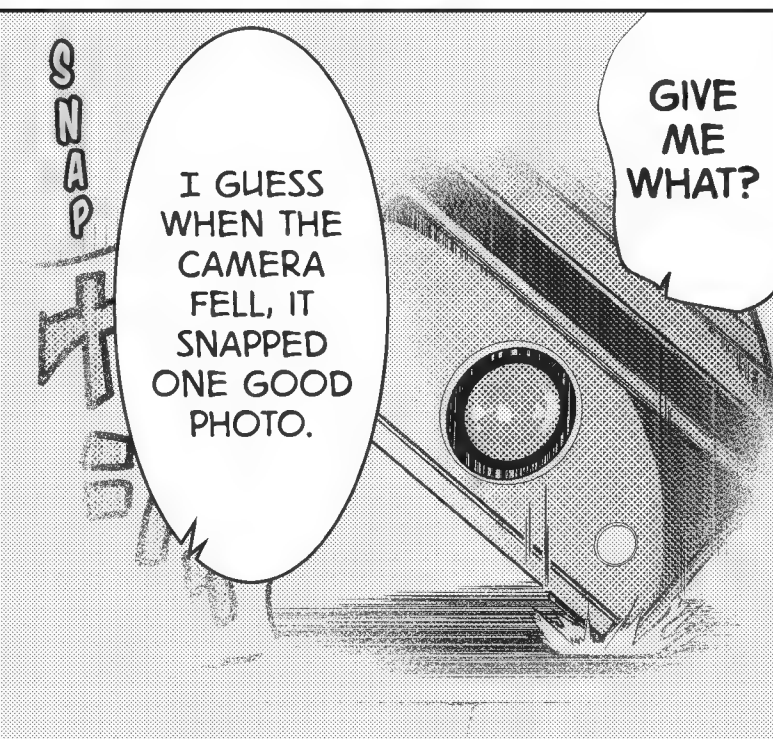
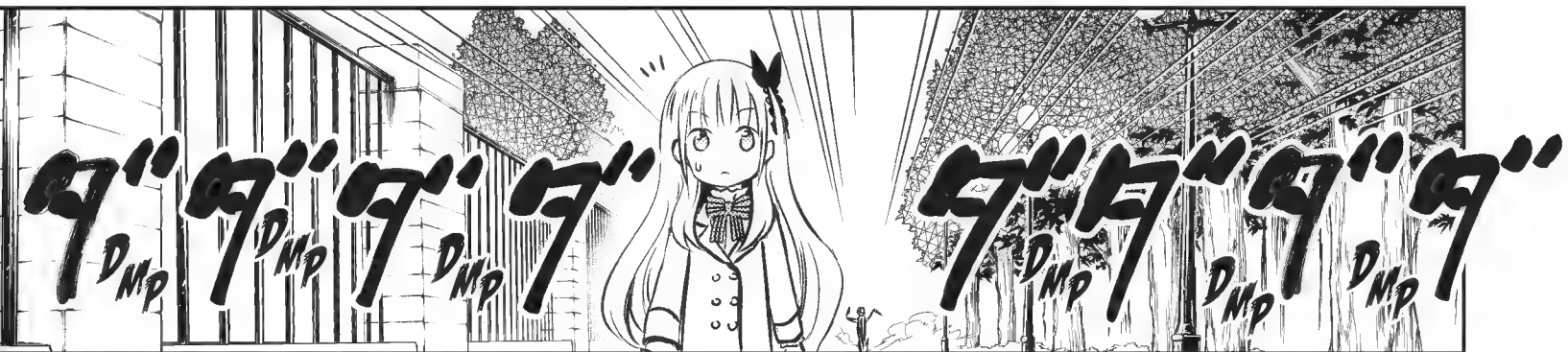
YOU  
CAN'T  
EVEN  
TELL  
IT'S  
US!

WHAT  
GIVES  
?!











LOOK  
CLOSER!

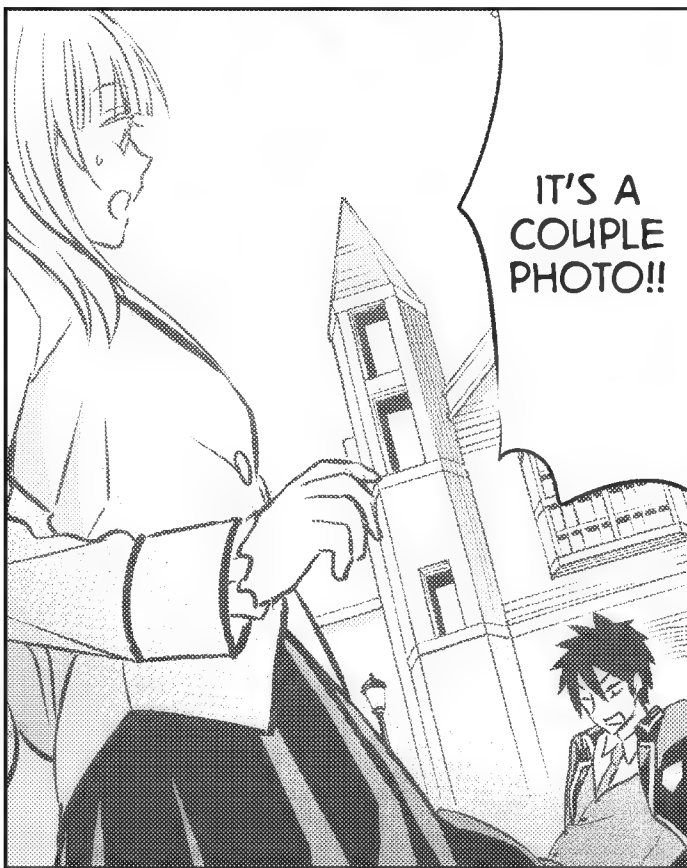


WHAT  
ABOUT  
IT?

LOOK!



IT'S A  
COUPLE  
PHOTO!!

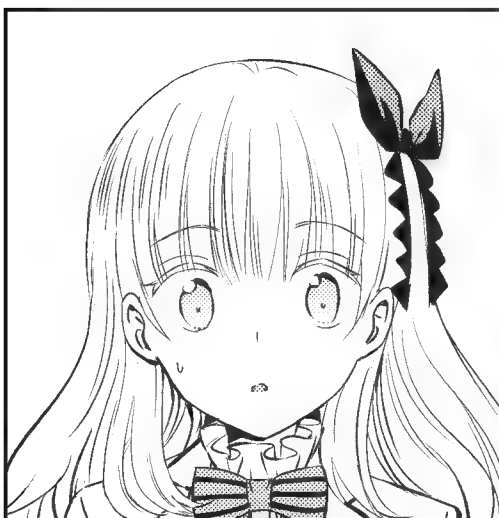


BUT  
WHY?!



I'M  
GIVIN'  
IT TO  
YOU!

HUH?



SO I  
THOUGHT...  
MAYBE YOU  
ACTUALLY  
DID WANT  
A COUPLE  
PHOTO AFTER  
ALL!!



'CAUSE  
YOU  
LOOKED  
DISAP-  
POINTED  
BACK  
THERE.



THERE ARE  
OTHER  
WHITE CATS  
IN IT, TOO...

A PHOTO LIKE  
THAT ONE'LL BE  
SAFE FOR PEOPLE  
TO SEE!

OH!  
DON'T  
WORRY.

**REALLY?!  
YOU RAN  
AFTER ME  
JUST TO  
GIVE ME  
THIS?!**

**WITH THIS  
MANY PEOPLE  
IN THE  
PHOTO, IT'S  
HARDLY A  
COUPLE SHOT  
AT ALL, IS IT?!**

**PFF!**

**AH  
HA  
HA  
HA!!**

OKAY,  
ALREADY!  
THEN GIVE  
IT BACK...

HA HA...  
MY  
SIDES  
HURT...

THAT'S  
TOO  
MUCH  
OF A  
STRETCH!

I HAVE  
NO IDEA  
WHY YOU  
THOUGHT  
I WAS DIS-  
APPOINTED,  
ANYWAY!!

**B  
L  
U  
S  
H**



**SINCE  
YOU  
INSIST...**

**...I'LL  
TAKE IT!!**







BWUUUHH  
?!

HOW  
LONG  
ARE YOU  
GOING  
TO STAND  
THERE?  
HURRY UP  
AND BE  
ON YOUR  
WAY.

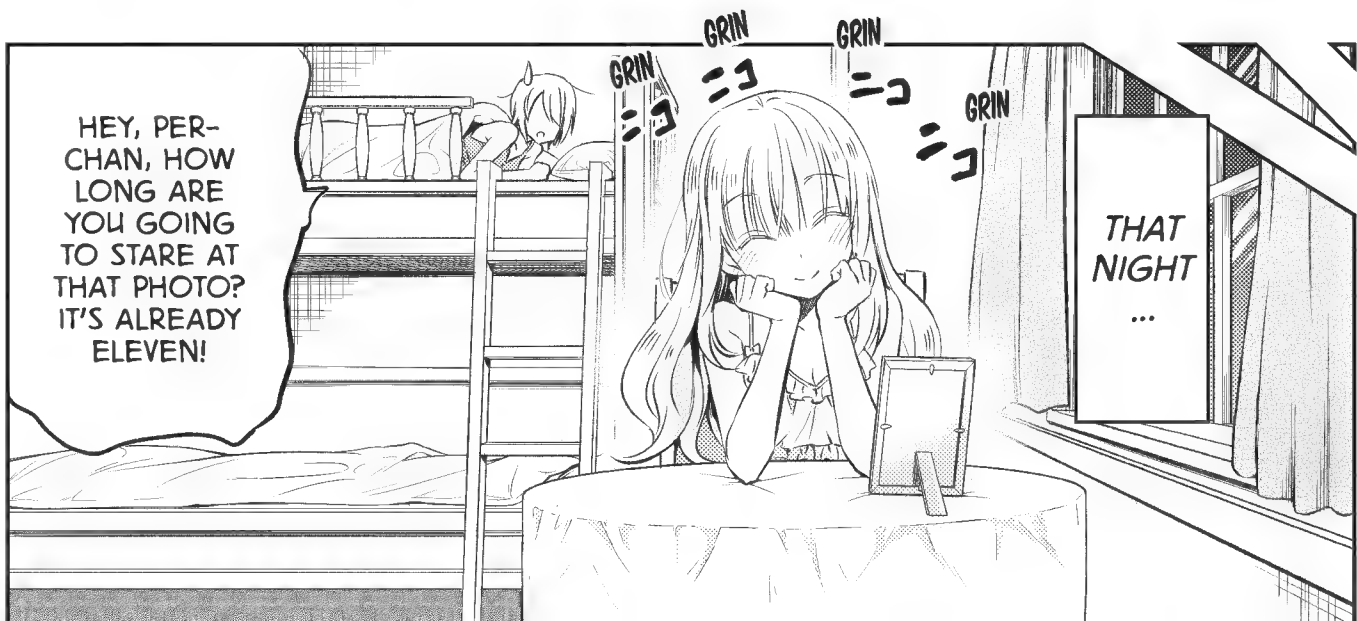


SERIOUSLY,  
SHE'S SO  
COLD!!

BYE.  
GOOD-  
NIGHT.

THAT  
WAS AN  
ABRUPT  
180!!

STRUI  
STRUI



HEY, PER-  
CHAN, HOW  
LONG ARE  
YOU GOING  
TO STARE AT  
THAT PHOTO?  
IT'S ALREADY  
ELEVEN!

THAT  
NIGHT  
...

GRIN  
GRIN  
GRIN







YUP, BUT  
I'M NOT  
GETTING  
THESE  
PROBLEMS  
AT ALL...

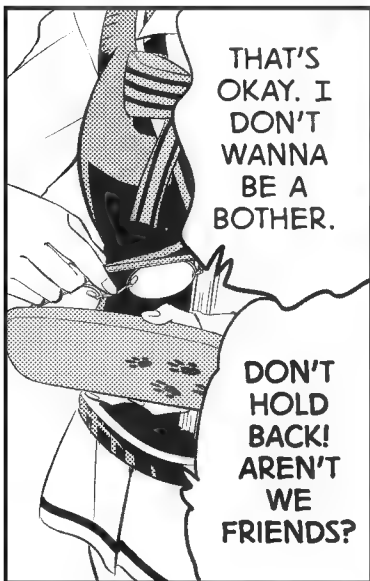
I HAD  
NO  
IDEA,  
BRO...  
WOW...  
I SEE,  
I SEE...



YOU  
WANT  
TO BE A  
**PREFECT**  
?!

'CAUSE I'M  
SHOOTING  
FOR  
PREFECT-  
DOM.

YEAH, I'M  
STUDYING FOR  
NEXT WEEK'S  
MIDTERMS!



THAT'S  
OKAY. I  
DON'T  
WANNA  
BE A  
BOTHER.

DON'T  
HOLD  
BACK!  
AREN'T  
WE  
FRIENDS?



HUH?!

3rd  
highest  
grades in  
the year.

IF YOU  
NEED  
SOME  
HELP, I  
CAN TUTOR  
YOU, BRO!



HASUKI-  
SENSEI  
WILL GIVE  
YOU YOUR  
VERY OWN  
SPECIAL  
LESSON,  
BRO.

BE  
THERE  
OR BE  
SQUARE  
!!

MEET ME  
AFTER  
SCHOOL  
IN THE  
LIBRARY'S  
PRIVATE  
STUDY  
ROOM.

## DAHLIA ACADEMY GUIDE #2: BLACK DOGGY HOUSE

The dorm where Touwa's high school division students live. On the first floor: a reception hall, a lounge, large baths, traditional Touwanese-style rooms with *tatami* mat flooring, etc. Floors 2–4: general students' bedrooms, with two to three people per room.



ACT 28:

ROMIO & HASUKI &  
THE MIDTERM EXAMS

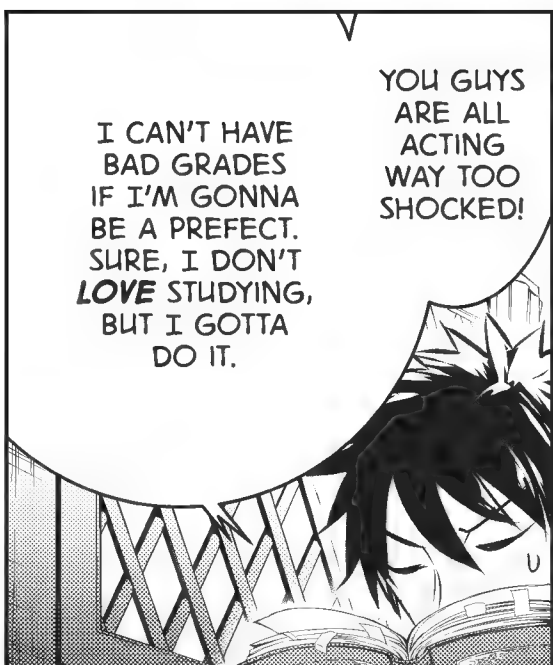


ARE YOU FEELING OKAY?!

WHY ARE YOU STUDYING?!

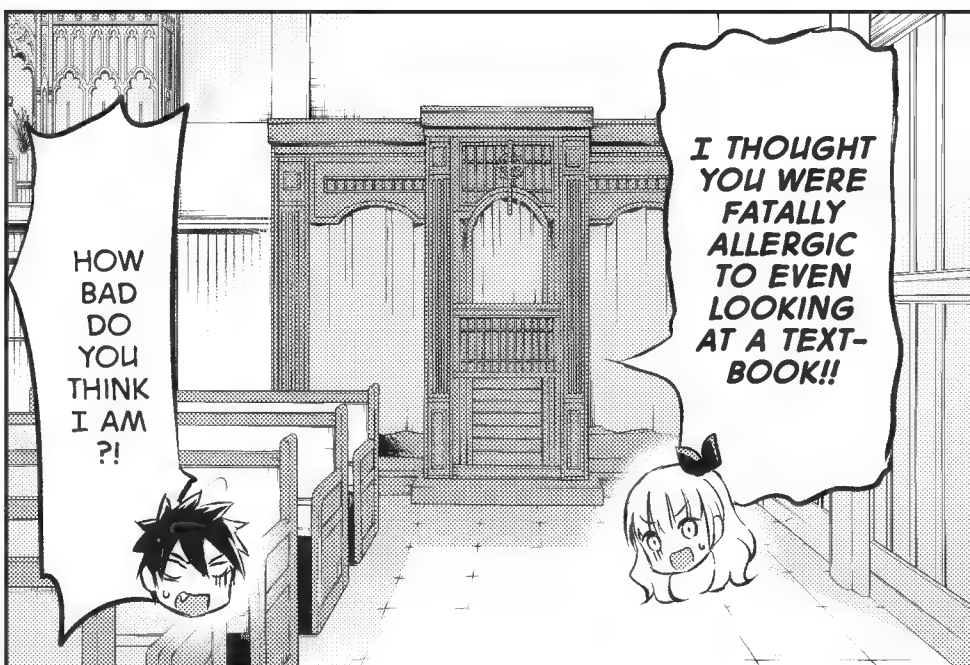


WHAT ?!



I CAN'T HAVE BAD GRADES IF I'M GONNA BE A PERFECT. SURE, I DON'T **LOVE** STUDYING, BUT I GOTTA DO IT.

YOU GUYS ARE ALL ACTING WAY TOO SHOCKED!



HOW BAD DO YOU THINK I AM ?!

I THOUGHT YOU WERE FATALLY ALLERGIC TO EVEN LOOKING AT A TEXT-BOOK!!



NOT A GOOD LOOK FOR A BLACK DOGGY LEADER, RIGHT?

IN OUR FIRST END-OF-TERM EXAMS, YOU GOT THE TOP MARKS IN OUR YEAR...

...AND I NEARLY FLUNKED.

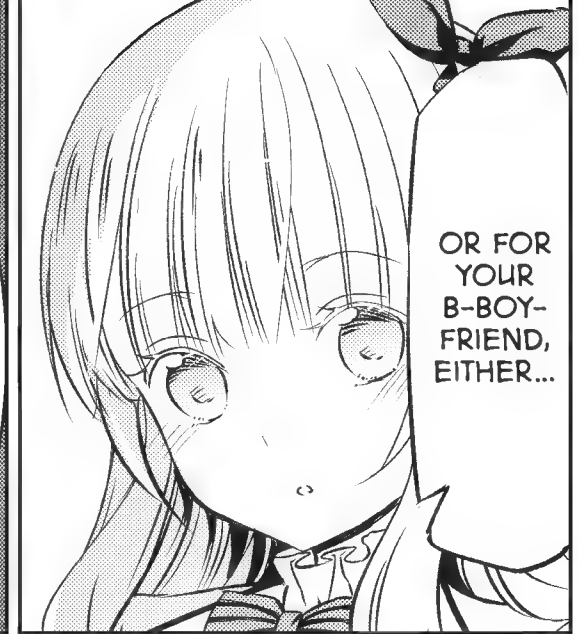


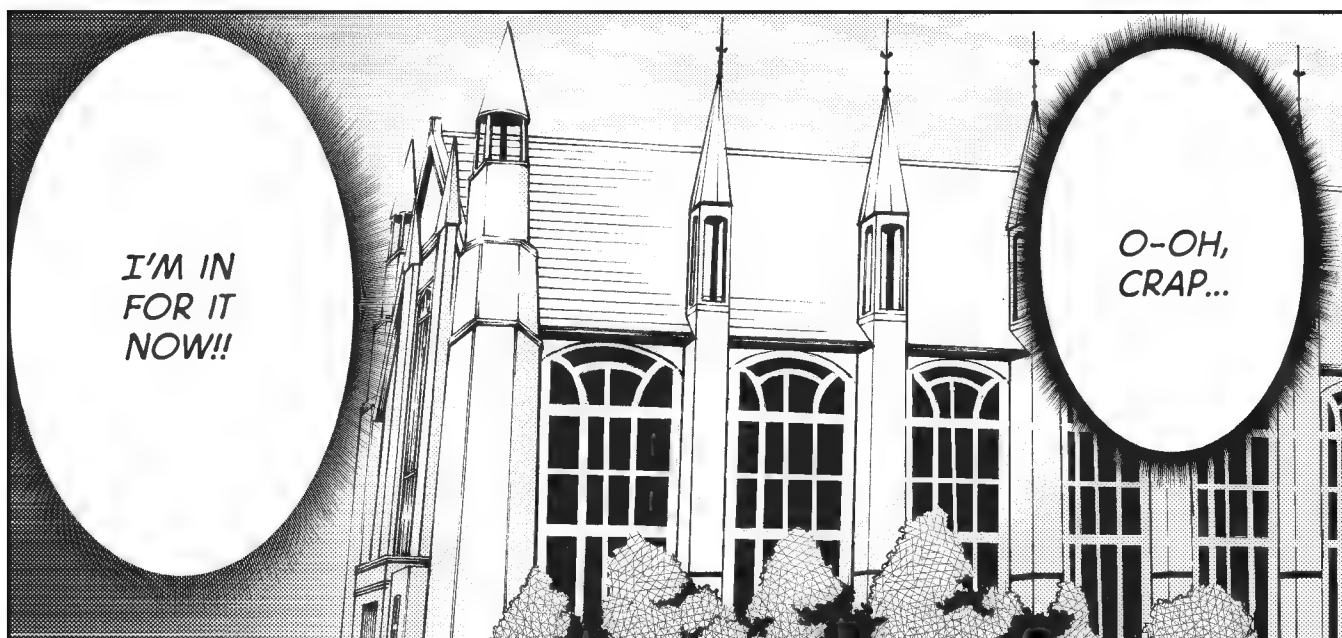
WELL, THAT'S NOT THE ONLY REASON, EITHER.

I SEE... YOU'RE PUSHING YOURSELF HARD, AREN'T YOU?

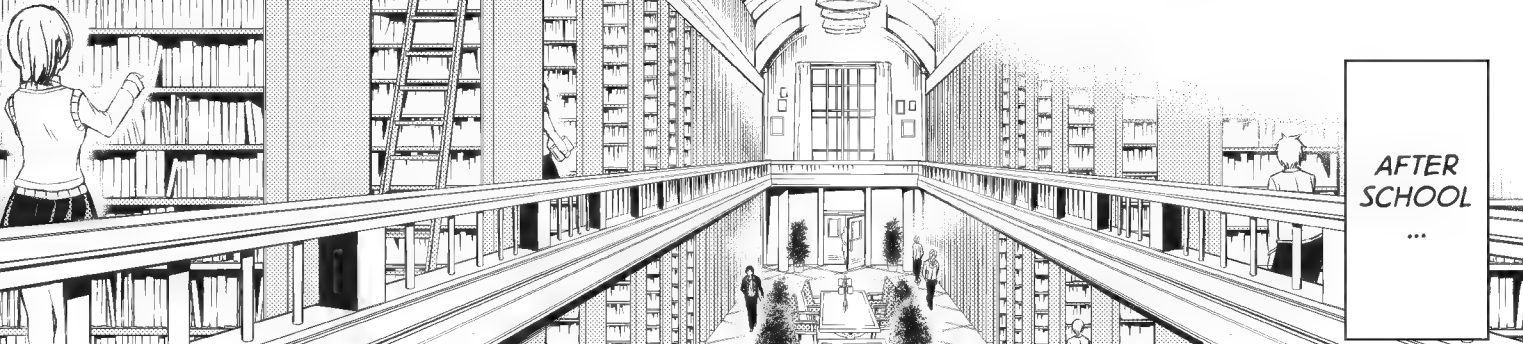
?











AFTER  
SCHOOL  
...



LET'S  
DIVE  
RIGHT  
IN, BRO!

OH! YOU  
DIDN'T  
RUN  
AWAY?!

What a  
good boy!

ARRRGH!  
I'M DOUBLE-  
BOOKED...THAT  
HALLMARK OF  
ROMANTIC  
COMEDIES!  
BUT IF I JUST  
EXPLAIN ABOUT  
PERSIA...



I  
CAN'T  
TELL  
HER!!

WE CAN'T  
STUDY WITH  
A WHITE CAT!  
YOU TRAITOR!!

HEY, SO I GUESS  
PERSIA'S WILLING  
TO TUTOR ME, TOO!  
LET'S ALL THREE OF  
US HAVE A NICE,  
FRIENDLY STUDY  
PARTY!!



LOVE PEACE





DON'T WORRY.

I'LL HELP YOU UNTIL YOU'VE GOT IT ALL DOWN PAT, BRO.



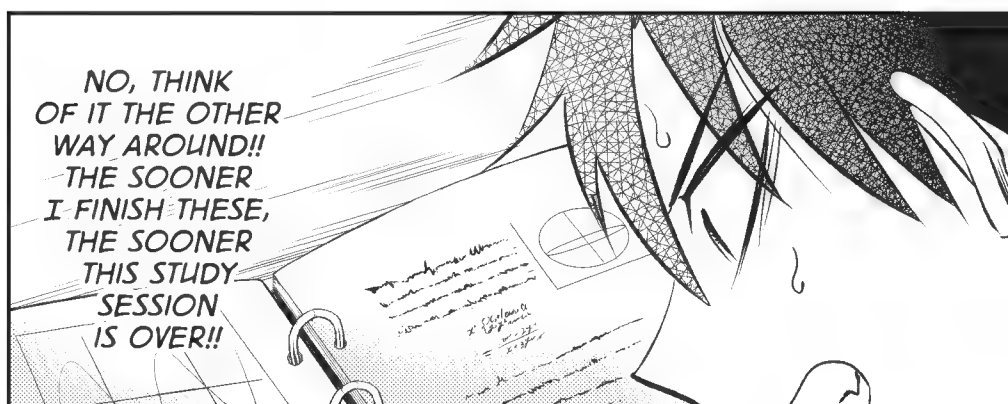
WHAT?! BUT THAT'S SO MUCH!!

I WON'T LET YOU LEAVE TODAY UNTIL YOU FINISH ALL OF THE PROBLEMS IN HERE, BRO!

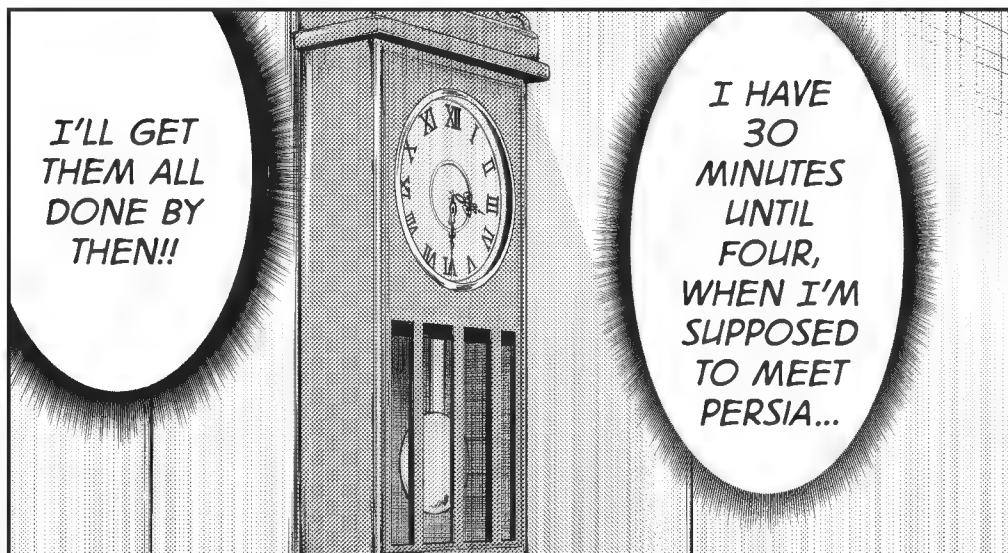


WOW! YOU'RE SO FOCUSED, BRO!!

RAAAH!!

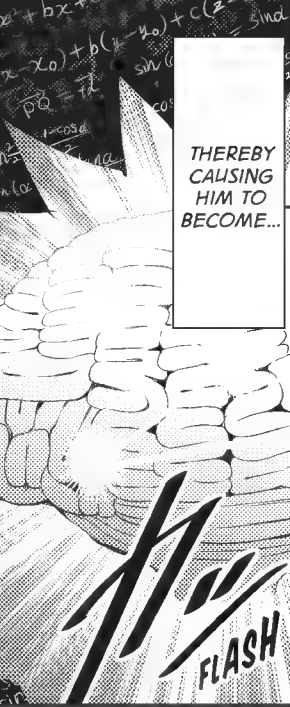


NO, THINK OF IT THE OTHER WAY AROUND!! THE SOONER I FINISH THESE, THE SOONER THIS STUDY SESSION IS OVER!!



I'LL GET THEM ALL DONE BY THEN!!

I HAVE 30 MINUTES UNTIL FOUR, WHEN I'M SUPPOSED TO MEET PERSIA...



THEREBY  
CAUSING  
HIM TO  
BECOME...



SCRIBL

SCRIBL

SCRIBL

$\sin(-\theta) = -\sin(\theta)$   
 $\sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta$   
 $\sin(90^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta$   
 $\sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta$   
 $\sin(180^\circ + \theta) = -\sin \theta$

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...SHAKING THE  
HIPPOCAMPUS  
INTO MOTION,  
AND MOBILIZING  
THE MEMORY  
CENTER IN  
HIS CEREBRAL  
CORTEX.

INUZUKA  
FORCED  
HIS BRAIN,  
WHICH  
NORMALLY  
SITS UNUSED,  
INTO  
OVERDRIVE...



HARD  
WORK  
PAYS  
OFF.

WEA-  
THER  
THE  
STORM.

WHOA,  
YOU'RE  
AMAZING!  
YOU'RE  
SOLVING  
THEM  
AT THE  
SPEED  
OF  
LIGHT!!

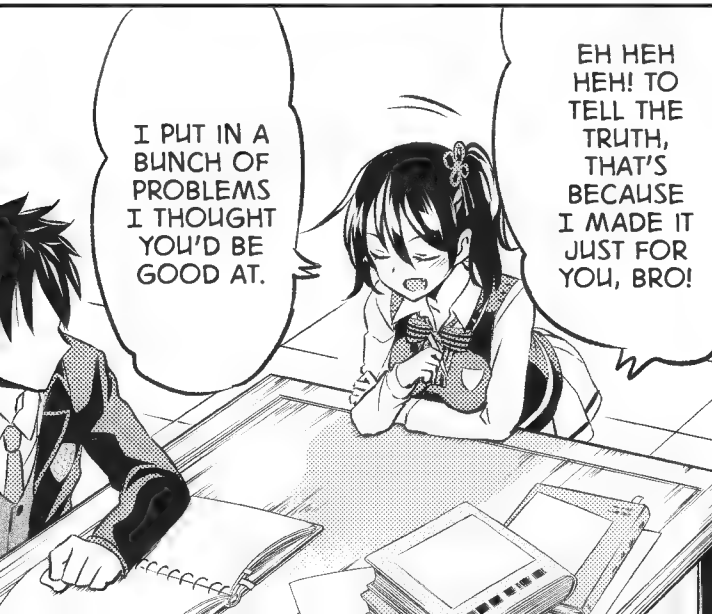


WHAT'S  
GOTTEN  
INTO  
YOU,  
INUZUKA  
?!!

Where'd  
you get  
those  
glasses  
from?!

ELE-  
MEN-  
TARY,  
MY  
DEAR  
HASUKI.

A  
TEMPORARY  
GENIUS.



I PUT IN A  
BUNCH OF  
PROBLEMS  
I THOUGHT  
YOU'D BE  
GOOD AT.

EH HEH  
HEH! TO  
TELL THE  
TRUTH,  
THAT'S  
BECAUSE  
I MADE IT  
JUST FOR  
YOU, BRO!



IT'S  
JAM-  
PACKED  
WITH  
PROBLEMS  
I'M GOOD  
AT...BUT  
WHY'S  
THAT?

IT'S THIS  
WORK-  
BOOK  
THAT'S  
AMAZING.

NAH...







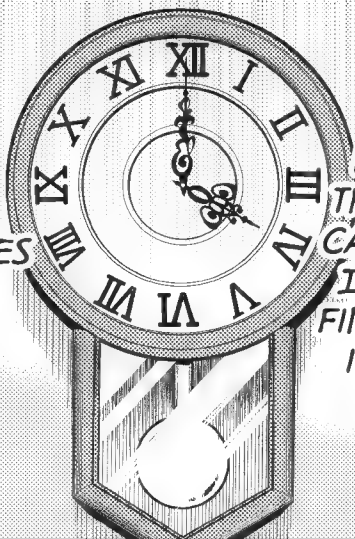
NOT TO  
WORRY. I'LL  
BE RIGHT  
HERE TO  
HELP YOU  
UNTIL YOU'VE  
MASTERED  
THEM.

PEOPLE WHO  
DO POORLY  
AT SCHOOL  
SIMPLY LACK  
CONFIDENCE.

IF YOU SOLVE  
PROBLEMS IN  
YOUR WEAK  
AREAS, YOU'LL  
BUILD YOUR  
CONFIDENCE,  
YES?



...IN  
10  
MINUTES  
!!



IN  
THAT  
CASE,  
I'LL  
FINISH  
IT...

I CAN'T  
CANCEL  
ON  
HER!!

LOOK  
WHAT SHE  
MADE FOR  
ME...



I'M NOT  
GONNA  
LET THEM  
DOWN!!

THEY'RE  
BOTH  
DOING SO  
MUCH TO  
HELP ME  
OUT.





URK!

EVEN THE  
VERY FIRST  
PROBLEM IS  
WRONG!

GOOD  
GRIEF!

SHE  
SMELLS  
SO  
GOOD...



IT'S ALL  
GOING  
IN ONE  
EAR AND  
OUT THE  
OTHER!!

Hey!  
Are you  
paying  
atten-  
tion?

IT'S/NO  
USE. MY  
HEART'S  
POUND-  
ING!

AND  
THEN  
HERE,  
YOU...

FLASH

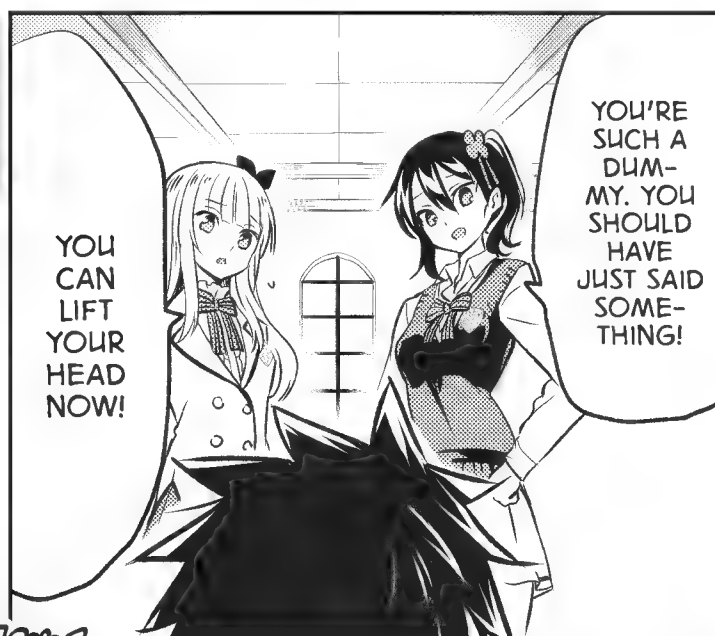
HOWEVER,  
BECAUSE  
INUZUKA'S BRAIN  
HAD LONG  
SINCE REACHED  
ITS LIMIT, IT  
OVERHEATED.

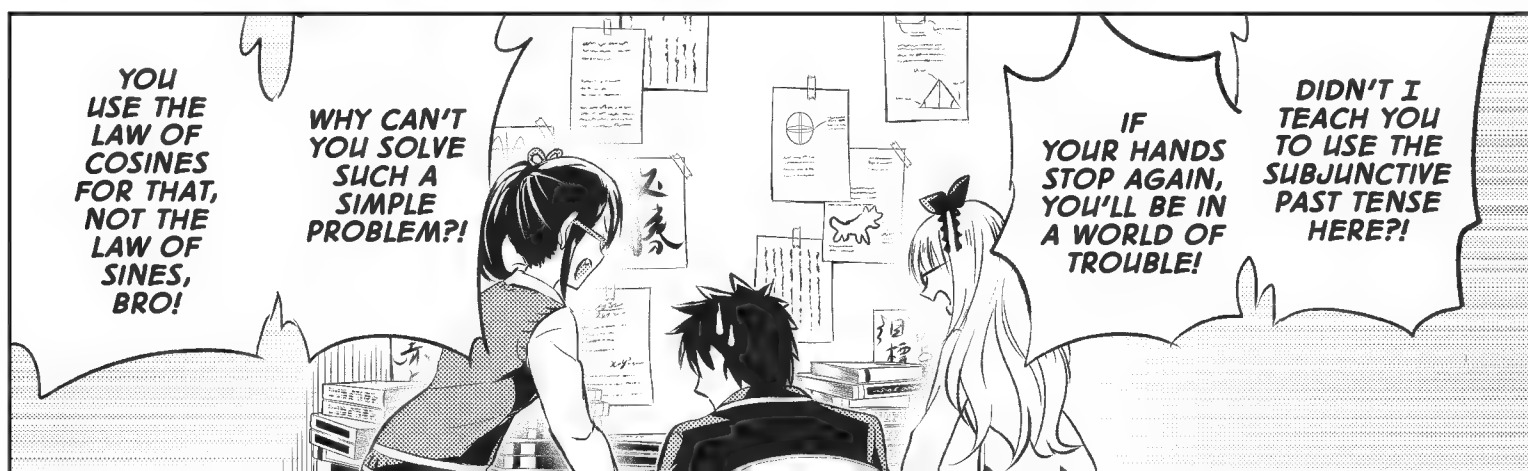
KICK YOUR  
BRAIN INTO  
OVERDRIVE  
AGAIN!!

PULL  
YOURSELF  
TOGETHER,  
MAN!!

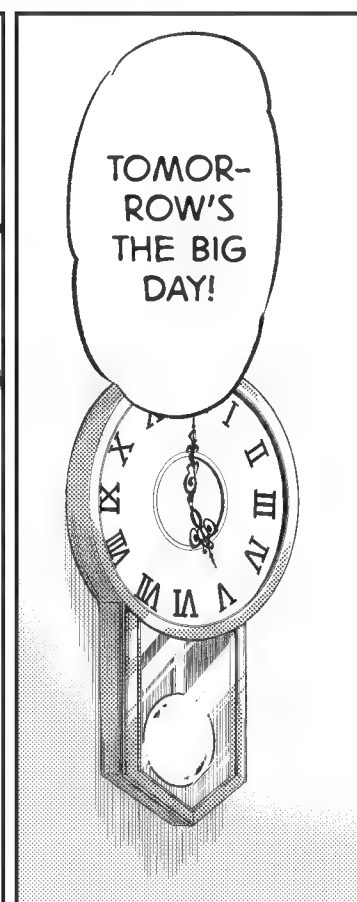




















YEAH  
...



...FOR  
PERSIA?



HEY,  
INUZUKA...  
THE REASON  
YOU'RE  
SHOOTING  
TO BE A  
PREFECT.  
IS IT...



'CAUSE I  
WENT AND  
MADE YOU  
HELP ME  
STUDY, EVEN  
THOUGH IT'S  
FOR HER!!

WHY  
ARE YOU  
APOLO-  
GIZING?



??  
SORRY  
!!



ARE YOU  
FEELING  
GUILTY...  
BECAUSE  
I CON-  
FESSED  
TO YOU?

URK!



...I LOVE  
YOU!

IT'S  
'CAUSE  
...

UH...YOU  
KNOW...

... 'CAUSE  
YOU  
SAID...



HUH  
?!

I DON'T  
SEE YOU  
THAT WAY  
ANYMORE!

AH HA  
HA HA!!  
DON'T  
SWEAT  
IT, BRO!



SNICKER

Y-YEAH?  
IS THAT  
HOW IT  
IS?

DREAM  
ON,  
BRO!

FLUSH

GEEZ,  
DO YOU BOYS  
THINK THAT  
IF A GIRL  
CONFESSES  
TO YOU ONCE,  
SHE'LL KEEP  
LIKING YOU  
FOREVER?!

Well,  
that's  
embarrassing...



BLACK  
DOGGIES'  
CODE

RITUAL  
SUICIDE  
FOR ALL THOSE  
WHO DEFECT TO  
THE WHITE CATS  
OR FALL IN  
LOVE WITH ONE.

YEAH...  
I GUESS  
THAT'S  
THE  
CODE.

I DON'T  
CARE ABOUT  
THE CODE,  
BRO!

HUH  
?!

STILL, I  
AM NEVER,  
EVER  
GONNA  
GIVE YOU  
TWO MY  
BLESSING,  
BRO!



I WORRY  
ABOUT  
THAT...

YOU'LL  
GET IN BIG  
TROUBLE  
IF YOU GET  
CAUGHT.

...AS  
YOUR  
BEST  
BUD.



I'M CHILLY.  
I'M GONNA  
RUN TO  
BLACK  
DOGGY  
HOUSE,  
BRO! DON'T  
YOU GO  
COMING  
DOWN WITH  
A COLD!!

YOU,  
NEITHER!  
SEE YA  
TOMOR-  
ROW! AND  
LET'S BOTH  
KILL IT ON  
THOSE  
EXAMS!

HEY,  
YOU  
OKAY  
?!

A  
C  
H  
O  
O!  
!



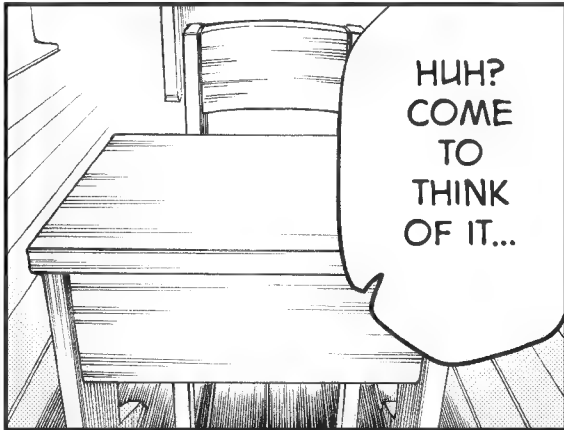


THE DAY  
OF THE  
MID-  
TERMS...



I'VE...

...NEVER  
BEEN  
MORE  
READY!



HUH?  
COME  
TO  
THINK  
OF IT...



THERE'S  
STILL PLENTY  
OF TIME  
UNTIL THE  
EXAMS  
BEGIN.  
MAYBE SHE  
WENT TO  
THE  
REST-  
ROOM?

HASUKI?  
NO, I  
HAVEN'T  
SEEN HER  
TODAY.



I'M ON  
A WHOLE  
NEW  
LEVEL  
TODAY.

SHOWING  
UP HALF AN  
HOUR BEFORE  
EXAMS  
BEGIN...HEH!









INUZUKA-  
KUN...

THANKS  
...



BLURG  
...

WHUH  
...?



I'MMA  
GETCHA  
TO THE  
INFIRMARY.

SURE,  
NO PROB.

HUH  
...?



WHAT ABOUT  
EXAMS?!  
LOOK,  
THEY'VE  
ALREADY  
STARTED!!

WELL...I  
GOT THERE  
WITH HALF  
AN HOUR TO  
SPARE, BUT  
THEN YOU  
WEREN'T IN  
YOUR SEAT.



WAIT,  
WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
DOING  
HERE?!

AND  
YEAH...  
I PIGGY-  
BACKED  
YOU ALL  
THE TIME  
BACK IN  
THE DAY.

HEY,  
DON'T  
MOVE  
BACK  
THERE!

HUH?!  
I WAS  
DREAMING  
ABOUT THE  
PAST...IS THIS  
REALITY?!



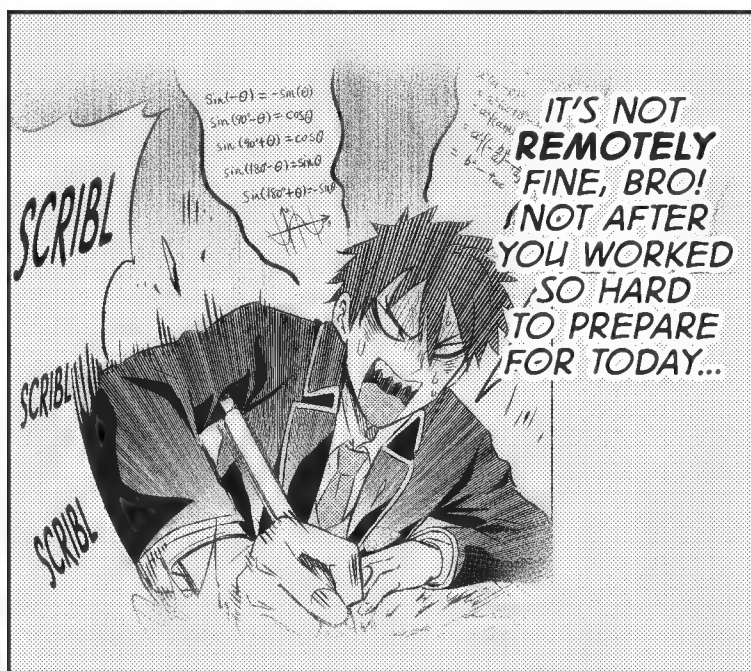


...A GUY  
WHO'D  
ABANDON  
HIS BEST  
BUD FOR  
HER.

PERSIA  
WOULD  
NEVER BE  
DOWN  
WITH...



DUMMY.



SCRIBL  
SCRIBL  
SCRIBL

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 $\sin(90^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta$   
 $\sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta$   
 $\sin(180^\circ + \theta) = -\sin \theta$

IT'S NOT  
**REMOTELY**  
FINE, BRO!  
(NOT AFTER  
YOU WORKED  
SO HARD  
TO PREPARE  
FOR TODAY...



SO IT'S  
FINE.  
DON'T  
SWEAT IT.



WE'RE  
HERE!  
JUST  
GET OFF  
ALREADY!!

SAY WHAT  
NOW?! THAT'S  
THE THANKS  
I GET FOR  
COMING  
TO YOUR  
RESCUE?!

INUZUKA,  
YOU  
DUMMY...

Infirmary







GOOD  
LUCK  
ON  
YOUR  
MID-  
TERMS!

EH HEH HEH!  
I ^^

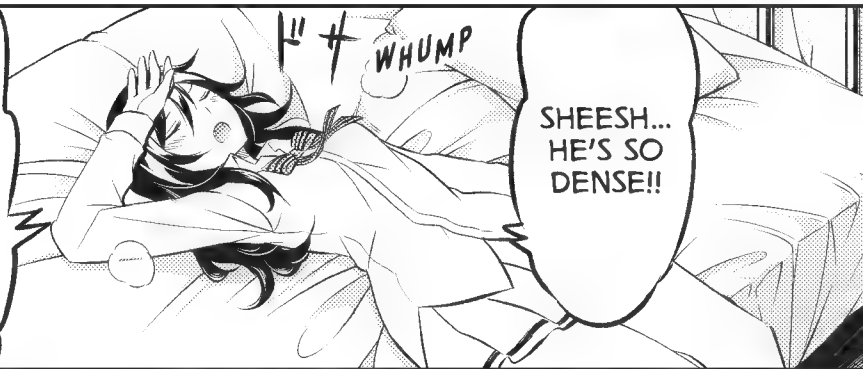
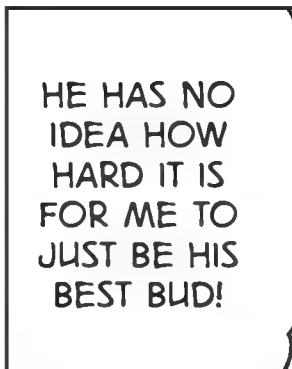
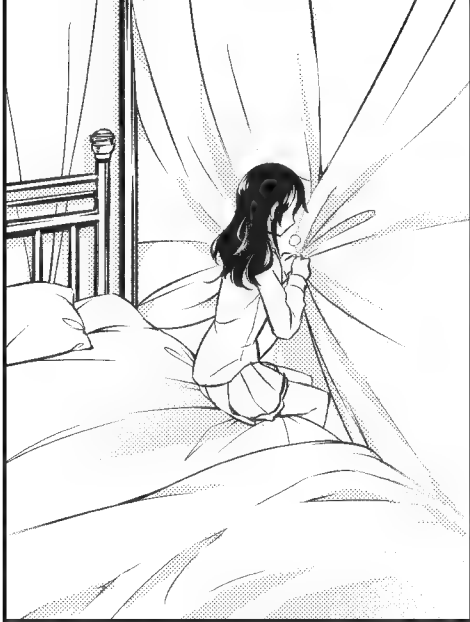
THAT'S  
ALL I  
WANT-  
ED TO  
SAY!!



AS YOUR  
BEST  
BUD!!

I LOVE  
YOU,  
YOU  
KNOW!





ACHOO!



TODAY, THE  
HIGH SCHOOL  
STUDENTS ARE  
OUT ON THE  
TOWN FOR THE  
FIRST TIME IN  
THREE MONTHS.



SEPTEMBER...  
DAHLIA TOWN'S  
AUTUMN  
HARVEST  
FESTIVAL IS IN  
FULL SWING.



WHAT'S  
GOIN'  
ON OVER  
THERE?





\*RABUMI'S NAME SOUNDS LIKE "LOVE ME" IN ENGLISH.



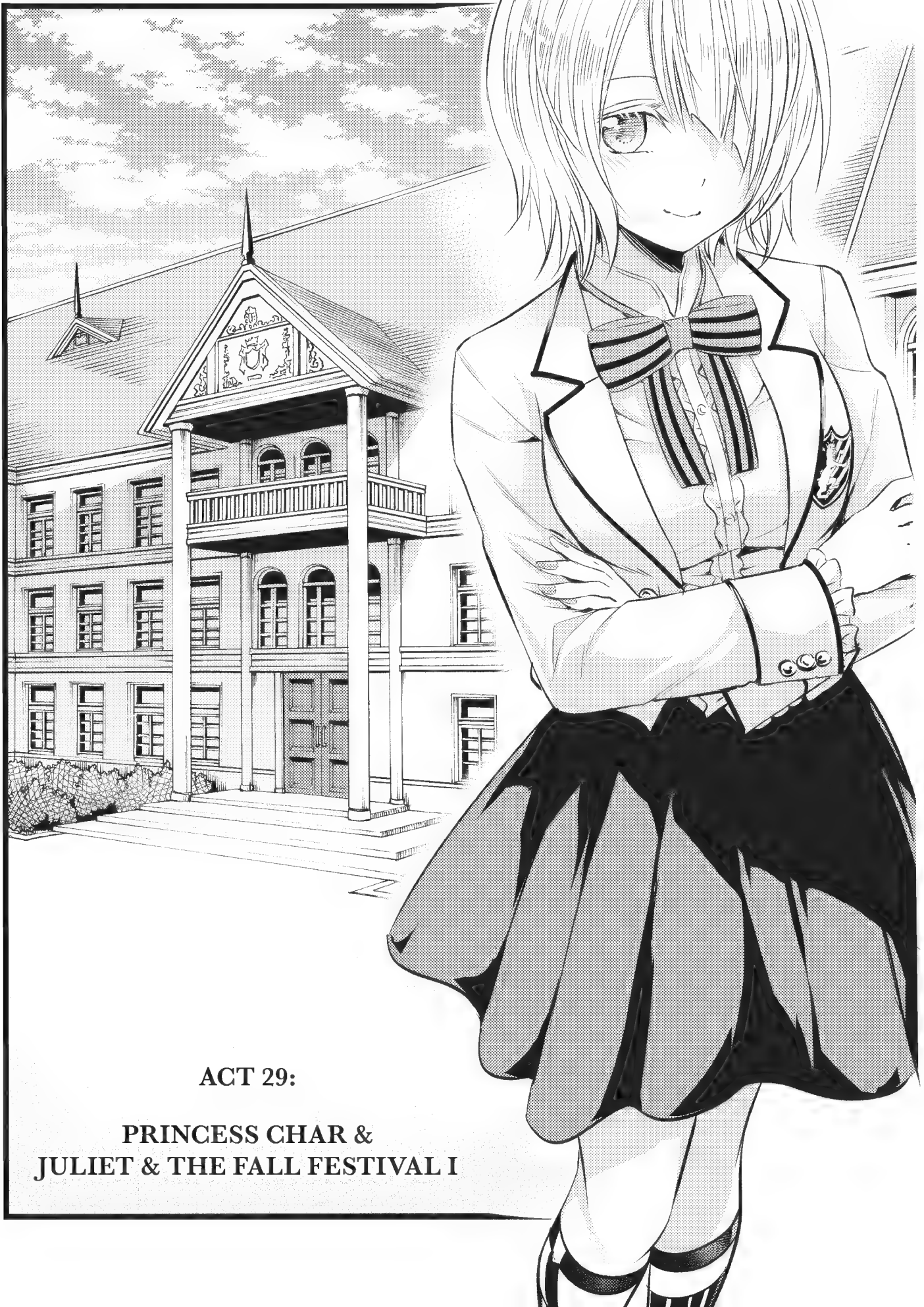






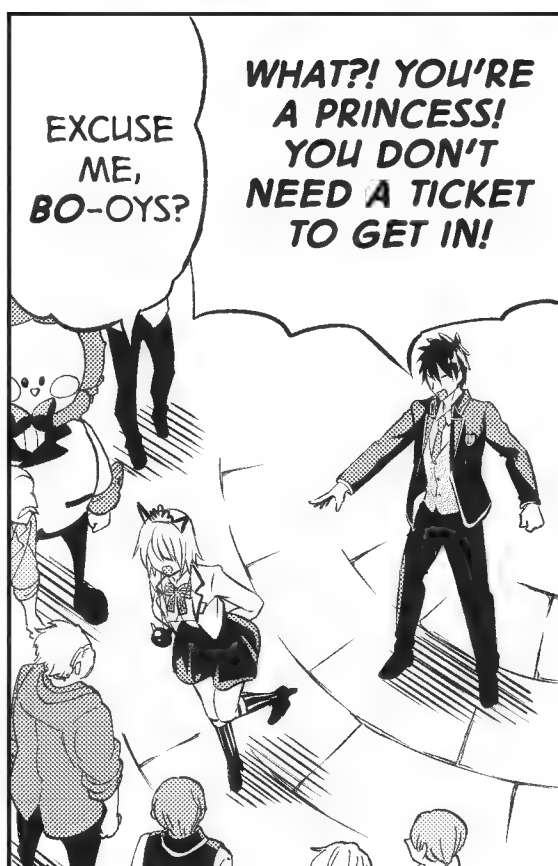
## DAHLIA ACADEMY GUIDE #3: WHITE CAT HOUSE

The dorm for the Principality of West's high school division students. Floor 1: an open-air café, showers, a records room exhibiting weapons and armor, etc. There's no communal bath, but there is a very spacious sauna room attached to the showers. Floor 2 and above are the same as Black Doggy House's.



ACT 29:

PRINCESS CHAR &  
JULIET & THE FALL FESTIVAL I





YES! YOUR HIGHNESS!!

DAMMIT!  
THAT'S  
CHEAT-  
ING!!

DO IT  
FOR ME?



COULD  
YOU  
HOLD  
DOWN  
INUZUKA?

STROKE

!!

UNGH!

BASH

OH,  
PERSIA-  
SAMA!  
PRINCESS  
CHAR  
JUST...

WHAT'S ALL  
THIS FUSS?

THAT  
CRAFTY  
CHAR... IS  
SHE OUT TO  
SABOTAGE  
ANOTHER  
OF MY  
DATES WITH  
PERSIA?!

PER-CHAN,  
SORRY TO  
KEEP YOU  
WAITING!



WHEN ME AND  
PERSIA GET  
A ROMANTIC  
MOOD GOING,  
SHE SHOWS UP  
AND RUINS IT!

SHE DID THE  
SAME THING  
WITH THAT  
FIRST LUNCH,  
TOO!



I GOTTA  
DEAL WITH  
MY CHAR  
PROBLEM,  
OR I WON'T  
GET TO BE  
ALONE WITH  
PERSIA!

SHE'S  
MY ARCH-  
NEMESIS  
!!

Char-chan,  
I can't  
breathe!



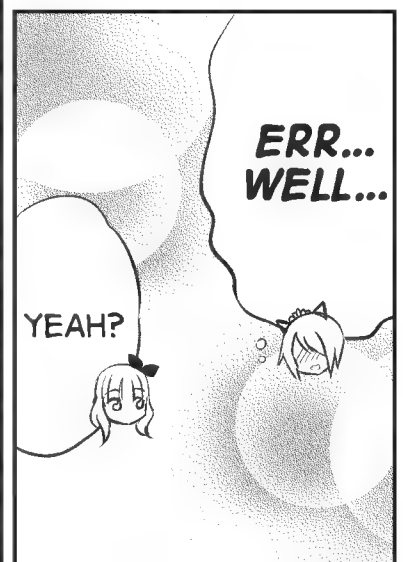
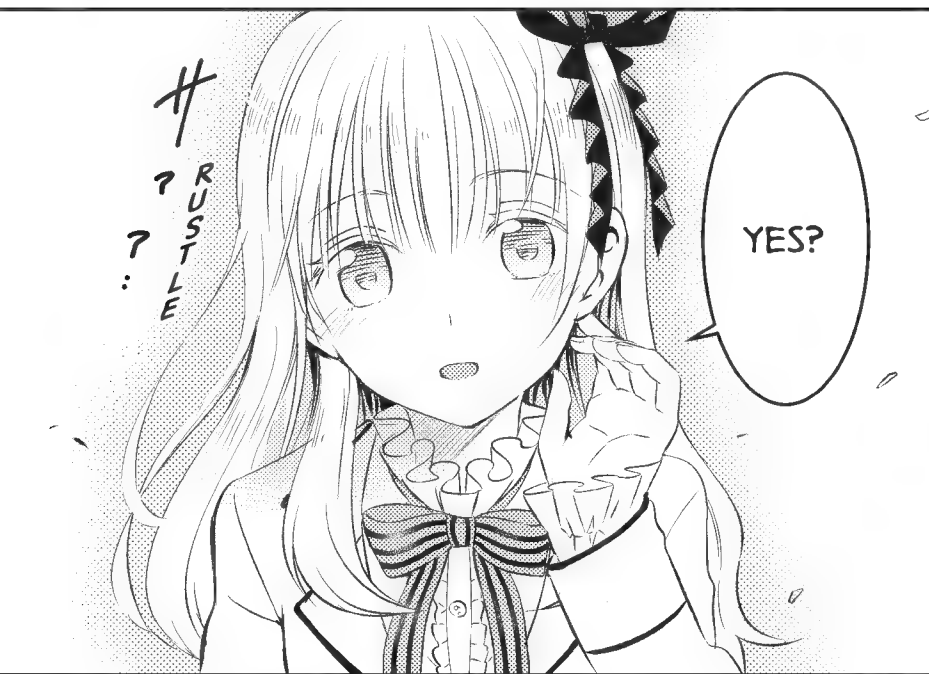
I SWEAR  
I'M  
GONNA  
GET THAT  
TICKET  
BACK!!

I CAN'T LET  
THE DAY  
END LIKE  
THIS... JUST  
YOU WAIT!

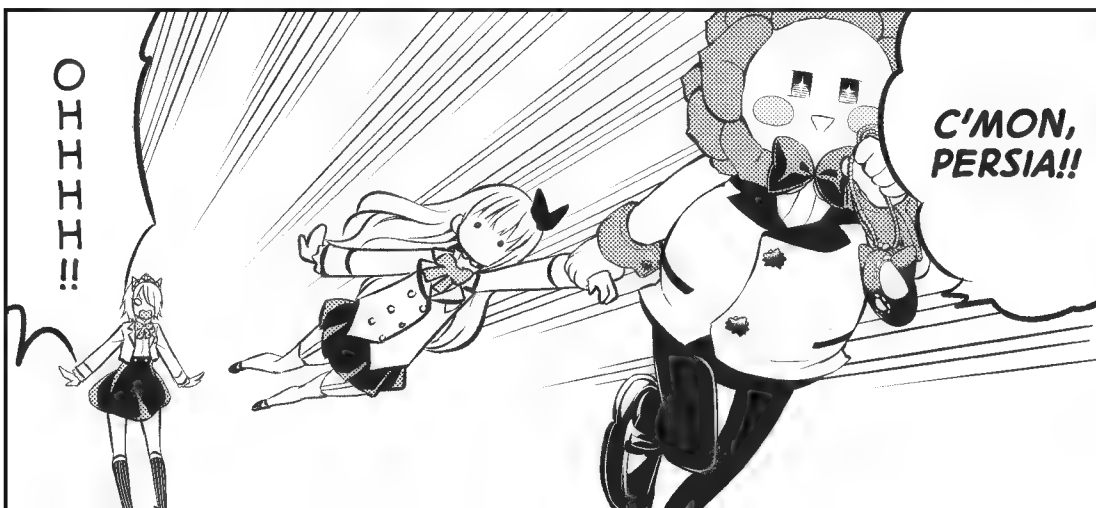
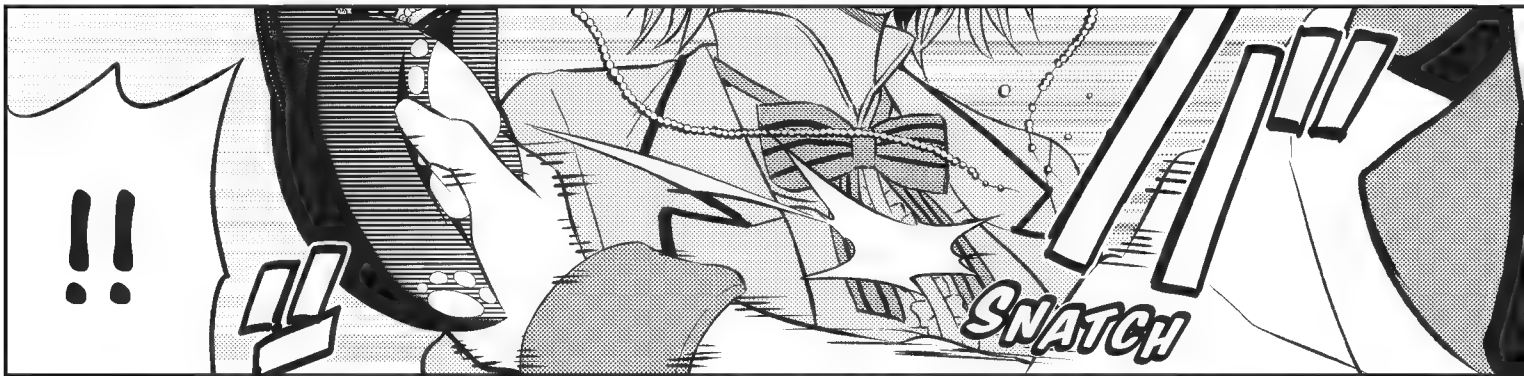


GET  
BACK  
HERE  
!!

PER-  
CHAN,  
LET'S GO  
ENJOY  
THE  
FESTIVAL.  
♡







I'M  
GONNA FLY  
A LANTERN  
WITH PERSIA!!

It's  
beautiful...

ALL THAT'S  
LEFT IS TO  
DODGE  
CHAR UNTIL  
TONIGHT!!

NOT EVEN  
THE BLACK  
DOGGIES  
WILL  
RECOGNIZE  
ME  
IN THIS  
THING!!

DON'T  
CRUSH THE  
CHILDREN'S  
DREAMS!

HEY!  
I'M  
NOT...

HUH  
?!

YAAAY!

IT'S  
DAHLICK-  
EY!

WOOK

HEY,  
KIDS!  
LOOK,  
IT'S  
DAHLICK-  
EY-KUN!

YOU'RE  
GOING  
TO LOSE  
CUSTOMERS  
LIKE THAT!

HE'S  
STILL SHY  
ABOUT  
PER-  
FORM-  
ING!

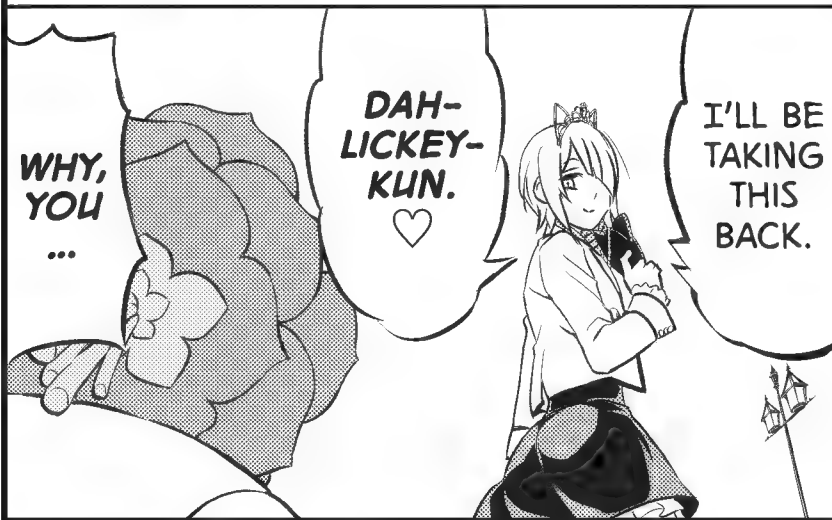
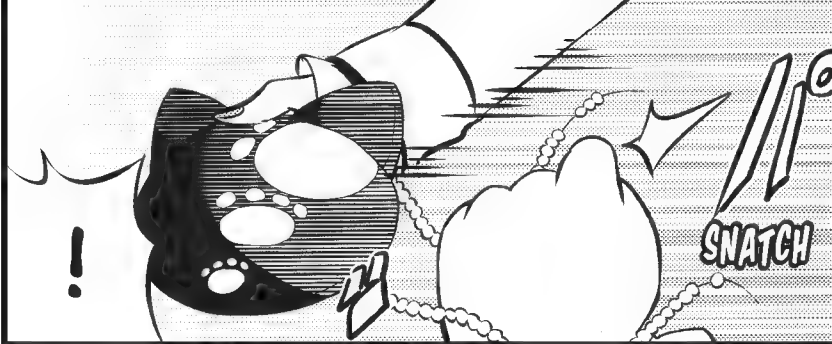
YOU  
ROTTEN  
BRATS...

H...

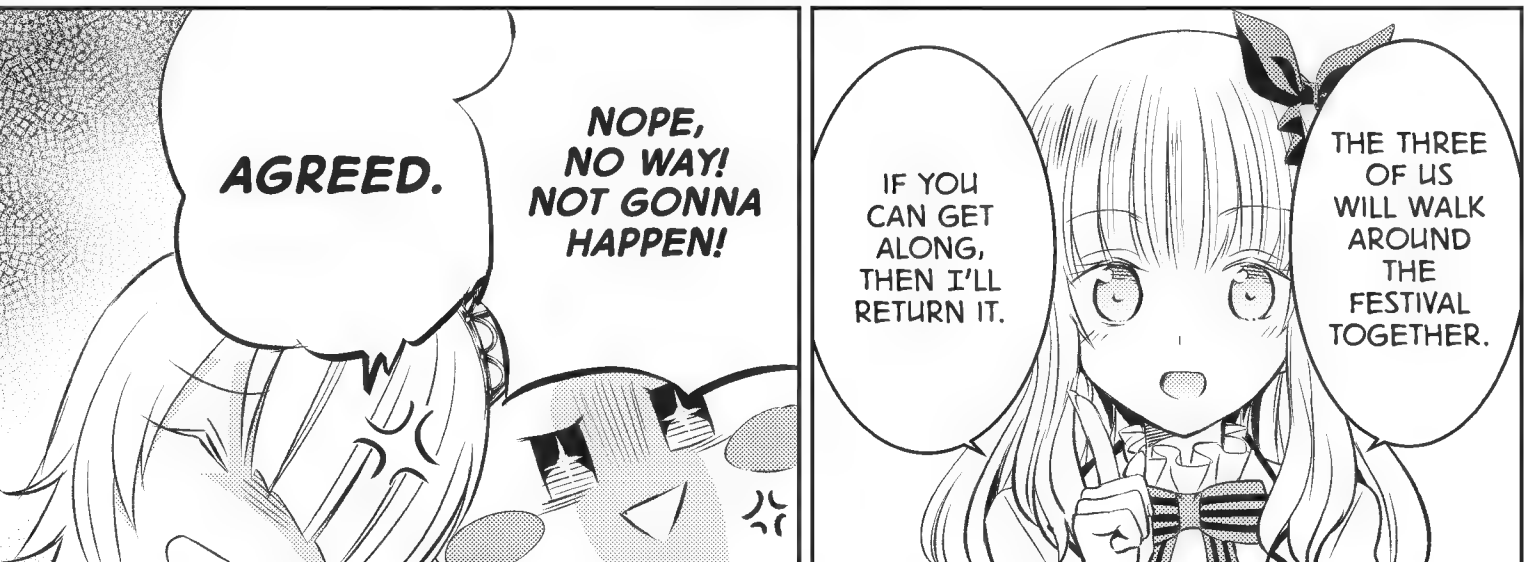
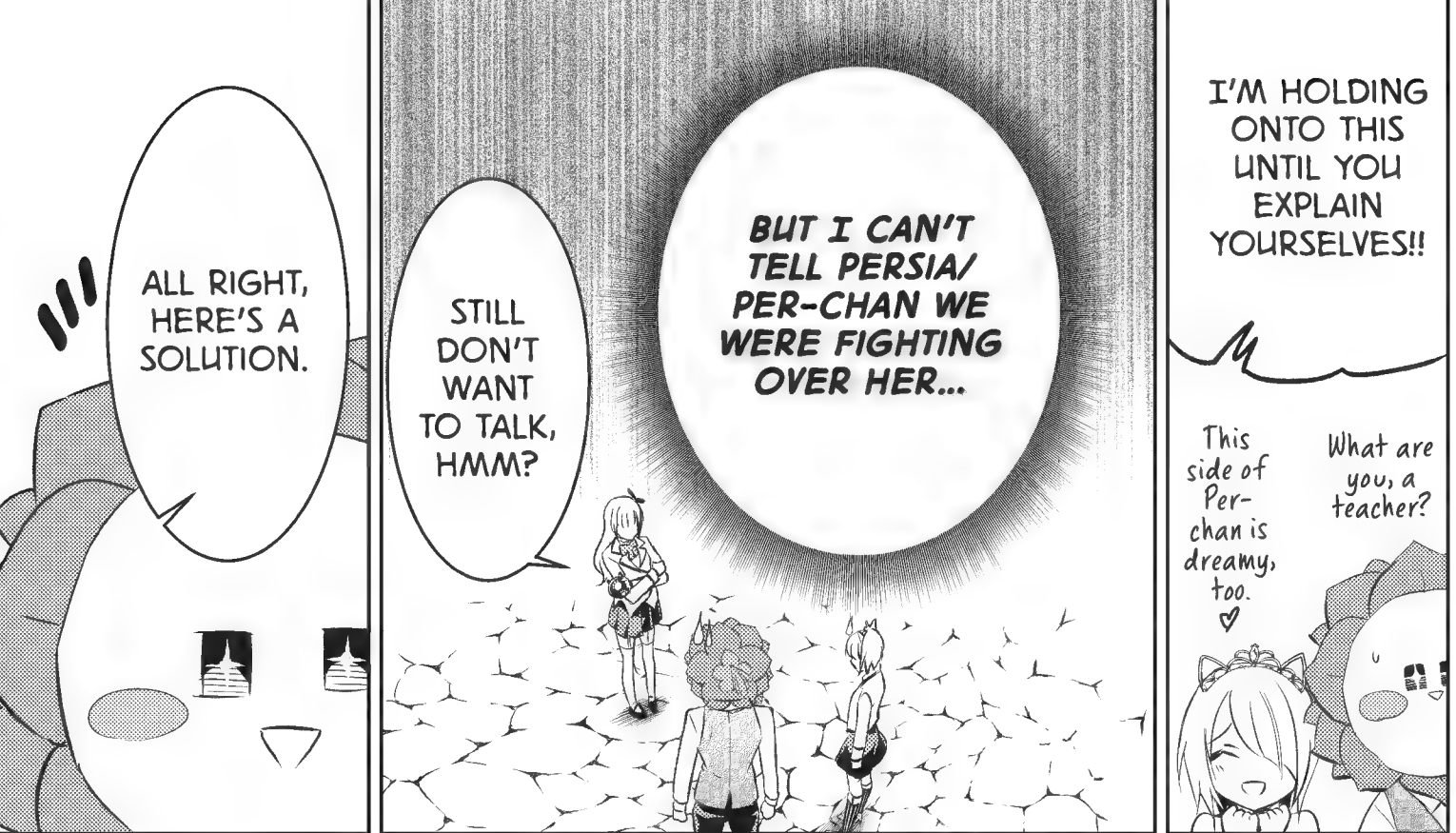
HIYA,  
KIDS!  
IT'S ME,  
DAHLICK-  
EY! HAVE  
A DAHL-  
ICKEY  
DAY!

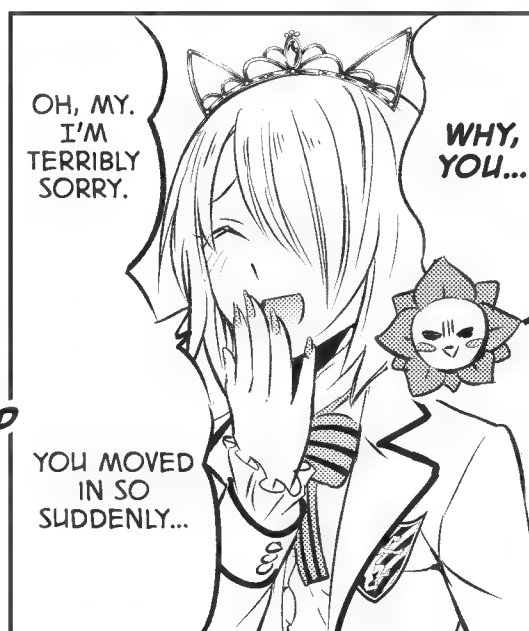
WASSUP?  
I'M  
DAHLICKEY.

THAT'S  
NOT  
CUTE!!  
ARE  
YOU  
REALLY  
DAHL-  
ICKEY  
?!



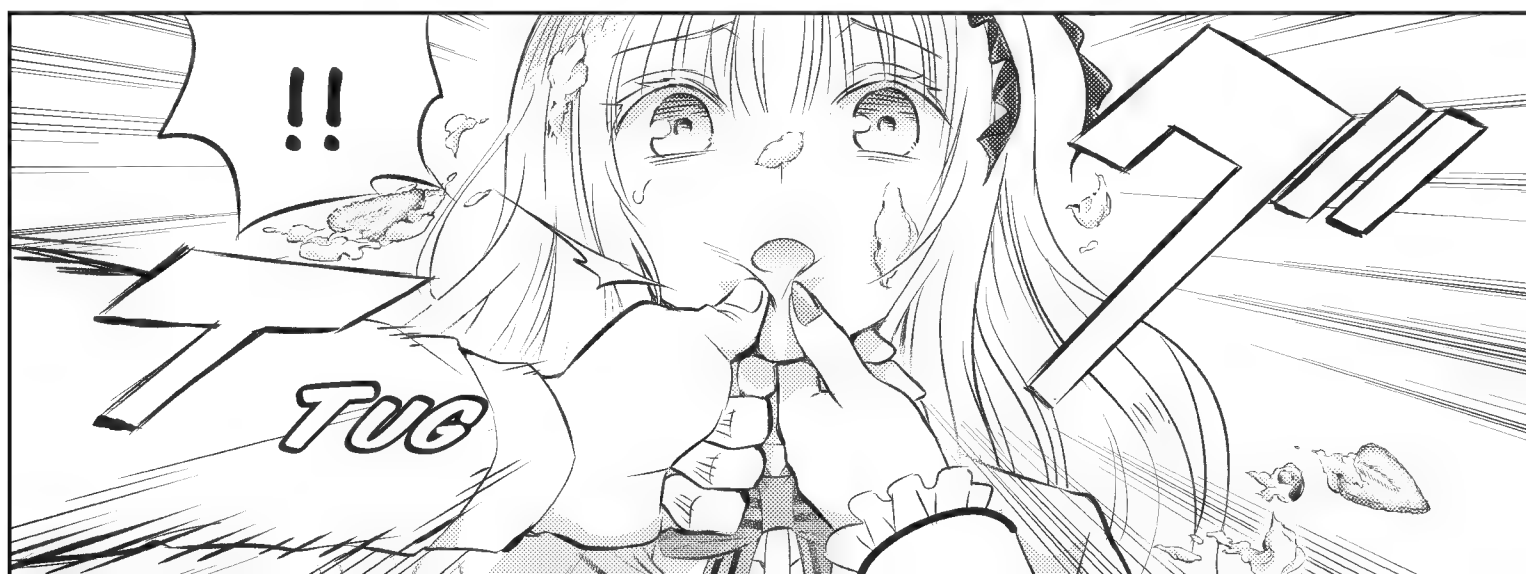














COULD  
YOU NOT  
COMPETE  
WITH ME  
OVER  
**EVERY  
LITTLE  
THING?**



COULDN'TA  
SAID IT  
BETTER  
MYSELF!  
LET HER  
GO!



S...STOP  
IT, BOTH  
OF YOU!

DON'T  
FIGHT!!



DON'T ACT  
LIKE YOU'RE  
NOT JUST  
AS MUCH TO  
BLAME AS  
I AM! I'LL  
WIPE IT OFF,  
SO MOVE IT!

WHAT  
DO YOU  
THINK  
YOU'RE  
DOING?

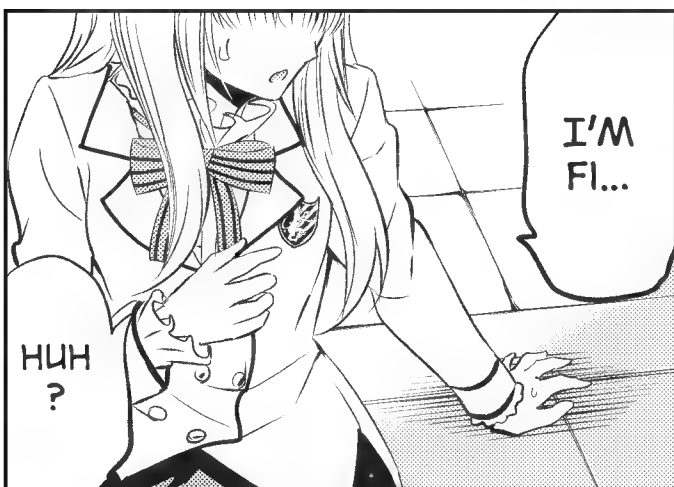
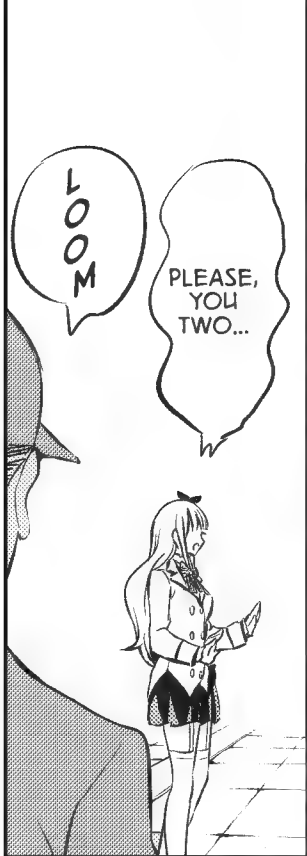


Y...  
**YES'M  
!!**

INUZUKA,  
PUT YOUR  
MASK  
BACK ON!  
HURRY!!

S...  
**SORRY,  
PER-  
CHAN.**

AND YOU'RE  
HURTING MY  
JAW! STOP  
ACTING LIKE  
CHILDREN, OR  
I'LL BE ANGRY!!







!!

THAT  
MAN...

BUT I  
HAD IT  
JUST A  
MINUTE  
AGO!



**THIEF  
!!**



I'LL GET  
IT BACK, I  
PROMISE!!

I'M SO SORRY.  
IT WAS SO  
IMPORTANT TO  
BOTH OF YOU,  
AND I LET IT  
GET STOLEN...



YOU  
WAIT  
HERE.



NO...



TSK!

**HE'S  
GET-  
TING  
AWAY  
!!**



SEEMS LIKE  
WE FINALLY  
GOT/HAVE  
SOME  
COMMON  
GROUND.

FOR  
ONCE,  
I  
AGREE  
WITH  
YOU.

K  
R  
A  
K

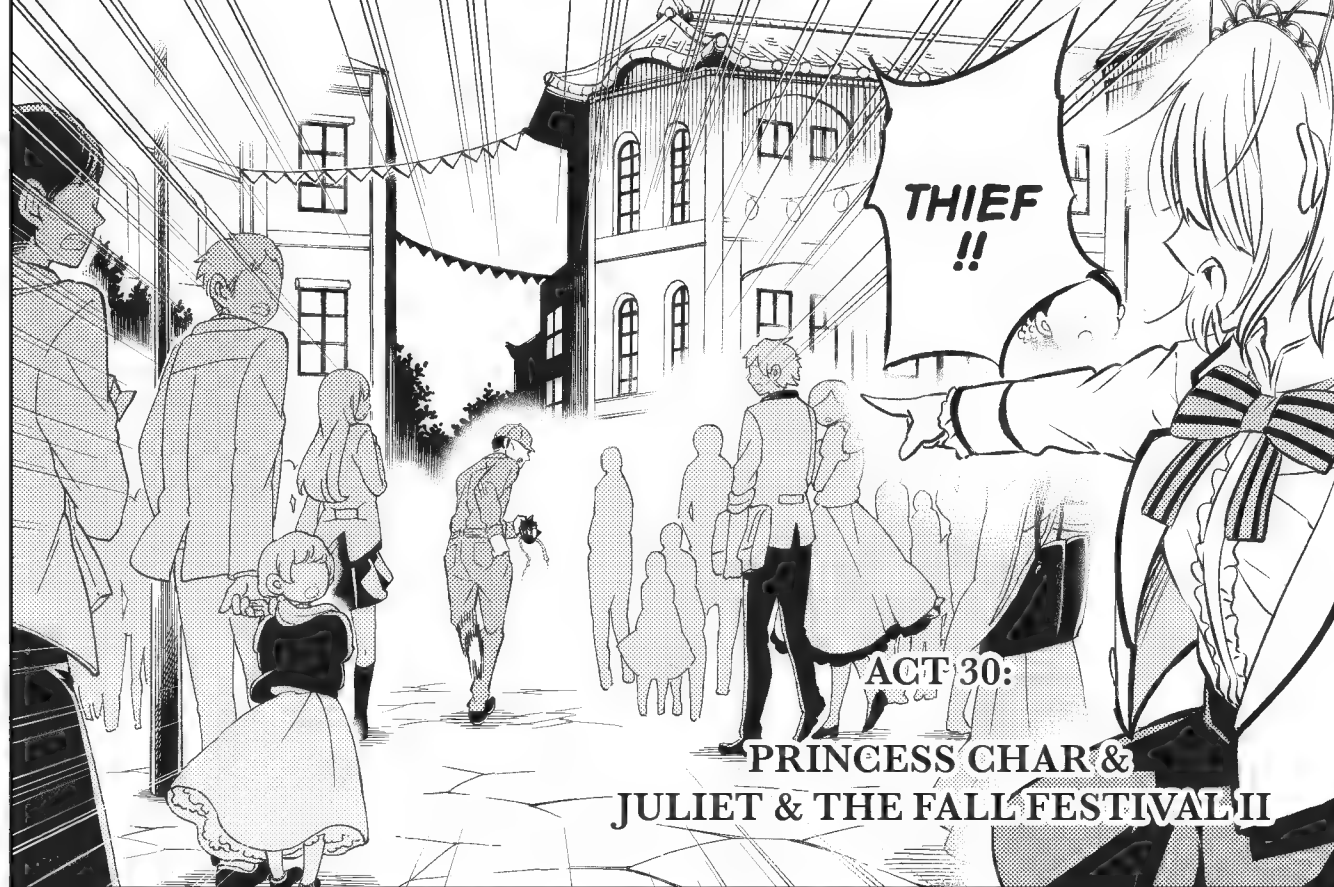
HE  
SHOULD  
DIE A  
THOU-  
SAND  
DEATHS  
FOR  
THAT  
CRIME.

HOW  
DARE  
HE PUSH  
PERSIA  
DOWN.



I'M  
CALLING  
A TEM-  
PORARY  
TRUCE.  
LET'S  
YOU  
AND I...

...CRUSH  
THAT  
THIEVING  
BASTARD  
!!



**THIEF  
!!**

**ACT 30:**

**PRINCESS CHAR &  
JULIET & THE FALL FESTIVAL II**



**WE'LL  
GET  
THAT  
POUCH  
BACK.  
WAIT  
RIGHT  
THERE!**

**AH...**

**HE HAS  
SOME  
NERVE,  
PUSHING  
PER-CHAN  
DOWN...**

**TSK!**

**ON  
TO  
ME,  
ARE  
THEY  
?**



**CAN'T  
WAIT  
TO  
FIND  
OUT  
HOW  
MUCH  
IS  
IN  
HERE...**

**BUT MAN,  
A WESTERN  
ARISTO-  
CRAT'S  
MONEY  
POUCH...**



**A COUPLE  
OF BRATS  
ARE NEVER  
GONNA  
CATCH ME!**

**IDIOTS. IN  
THIS DARK,  
I'M AS  
GOOD AS  
GONE ONCE  
I SLIP INTO  
THE WOODS.**



**?!**

**FLASH**

**CHUKK  
A  
CHUKK  
A  
CHUKK  
A  
CHUKK  
A**







DAM-  
MIT! I'D  
BETTER  
HIDE AND  
WAIT FOR  
THE HEAT  
TO DIE  
DOWN!

...AND MAKE  
HIM REGRET  
MAKING AN  
ENEMY OF  
THE PRINCESS  
OF WEST.  
HE'LL. WISH.  
HE. WERE.  
DEAD.



I'LL  
HUNT  
HIM  
DOWN...



AHHHH!!

BOOM

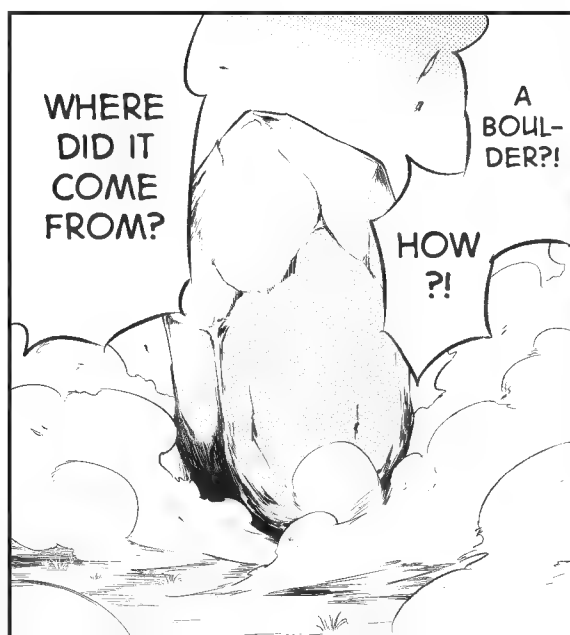


BOOM

HUH  
?



HEY,  
THIEF  
...



WHERE  
DID IT  
COME  
FROM?

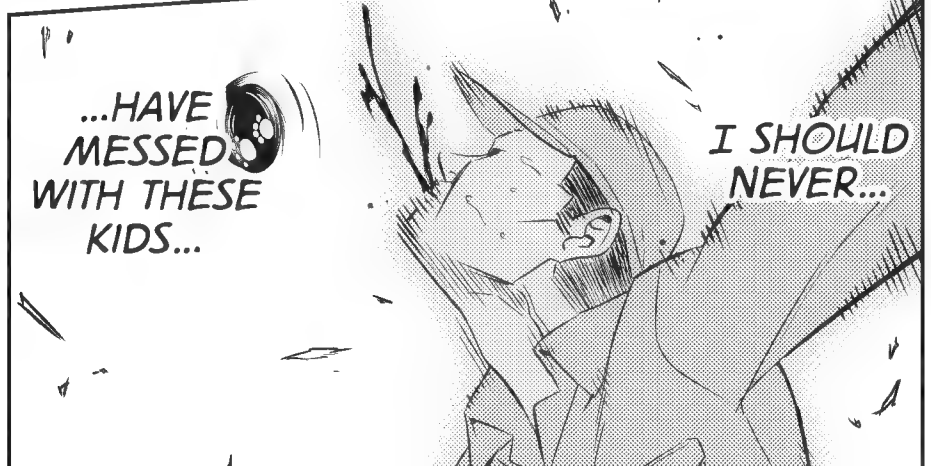
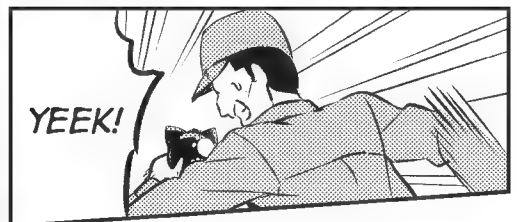
A  
BOUL-  
DER?!

HOW  
?!











A...  
TIC...  
KET?



IT'S  
AAALL  
MINE!



YAAAY!  
I GOT  
THE  
LANTERN  
TICKET  
BACK!



NEVER  
AGAIN.

NO MORE  
STEALING  
FOR ME.

THIS  
IS THE  
ONE  
THING...

GAAAH!!  
WHILE  
WE'RE  
WASTING  
TIME  
HERE, IT'S  
GONNA  
START—

NO!  
I  
WAS  
FIRST!!

I HIT  
HIM  
FIRST!!

HOLD UP!  
YOU CAN'T  
JUST TAKE  
IT FOR  
YOURSELF!!



HUH  
?

...GIVE  
TO YOU,  
OR  
ANYONE  
ELSE!!

...I CAN  
NEVER,  
EVER...









WHY?

BUT IT WAS ALL FOR NOTHIN' ANYWAY.

YEAH ...

DID YOU GET THE POUCH BACK?



YEAH, HE'S DEAD OVER THERE.

OH, MY WORD! WHAT HAPPENED HERE?!



AT FIRST, I THOUGHT SHE WAS JUST GETTIN' IN MY WAY, BUT NOW I THINK THERE WAS MORE TO IT.

RING ANY BELLS?

...BUT CHAR SEEMED KINDA...I DUNNO, MORE **DESPERATE** THAN USUAL...



WE WERE FIGHTING OVER WHO'D GET TO USE IT WITH YOU.

THERE WAS A TICKET FOR THE LANTERN FLYING INSIDE HER POUCH.



HUH?



SO, CHAR-CHAN REMEMBERED, TOO...

I SEE...



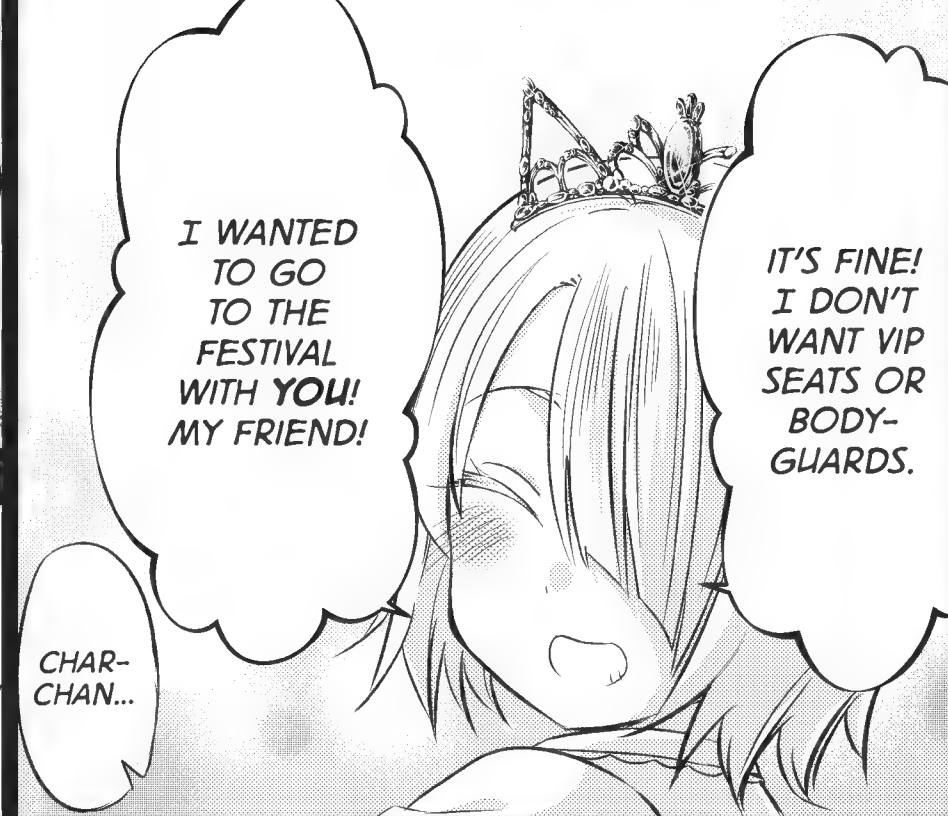
WE SHOULD  
GO BACK,  
CHAR-CHAN!

YOU'RE THE  
PRINCESS.  
WE'LL GET IN  
TROUBLE IF  
WE GO TO  
THE FESTIVAL  
WITHOUT ANY  
GROWN-UPS!

HURRY,  
PER-CHAN!  
THEY'RE  
ABOUT TO  
SEND UP THE  
LANTERNS!

I  
DIDN'T  
MAKE  
IT IN  
TIME...







...AS MUCH AS IT VEXES ME TO ADMIT IT... IS INUZUKA NOW...

BECAUSE THE PERSON WHO'S FIRST IN HER HEART...



OH, WELL... I'M SURE PER-CHAN DOESN'T REMEMBER THIS SILLY LITTLE PROMISE ANYMORE, ANYWAY.



...THIS ONE PROMISE WE MADE SO LONG AGO...

BUT THAT'S WHY I WAS SO DESPERATE TO KEEP...

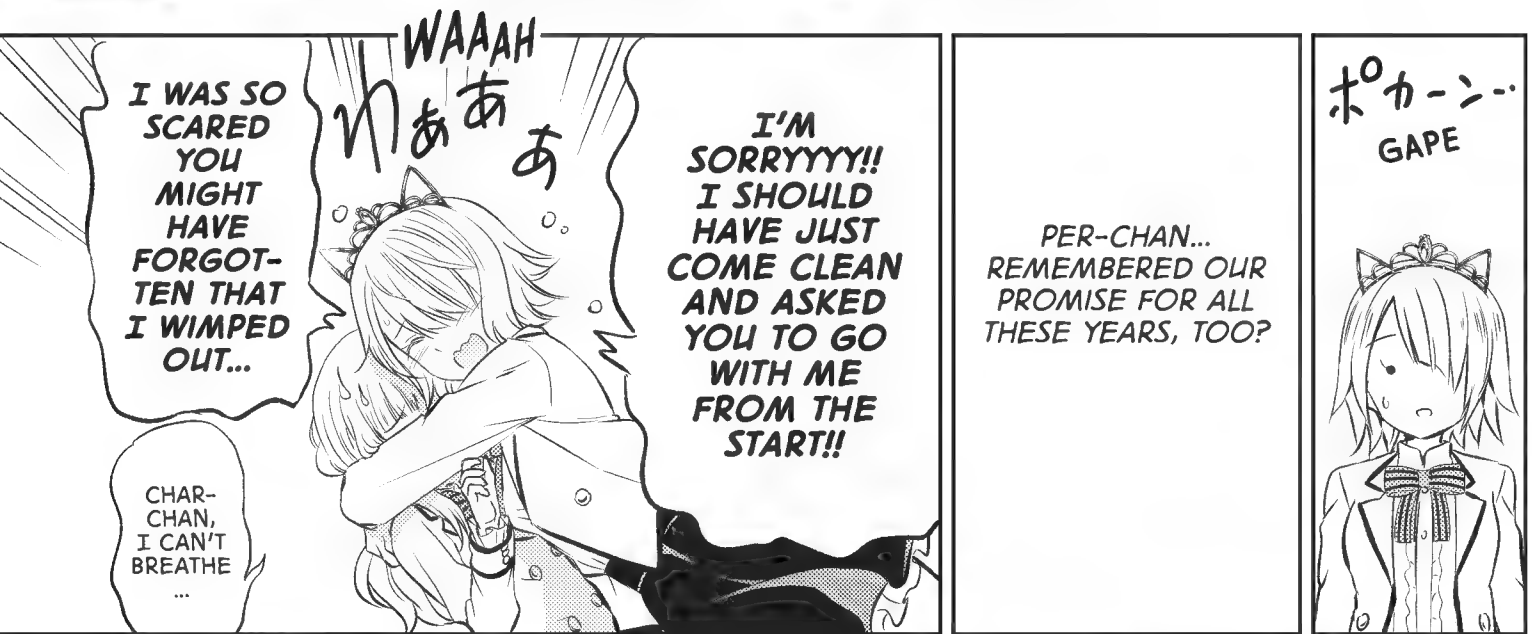
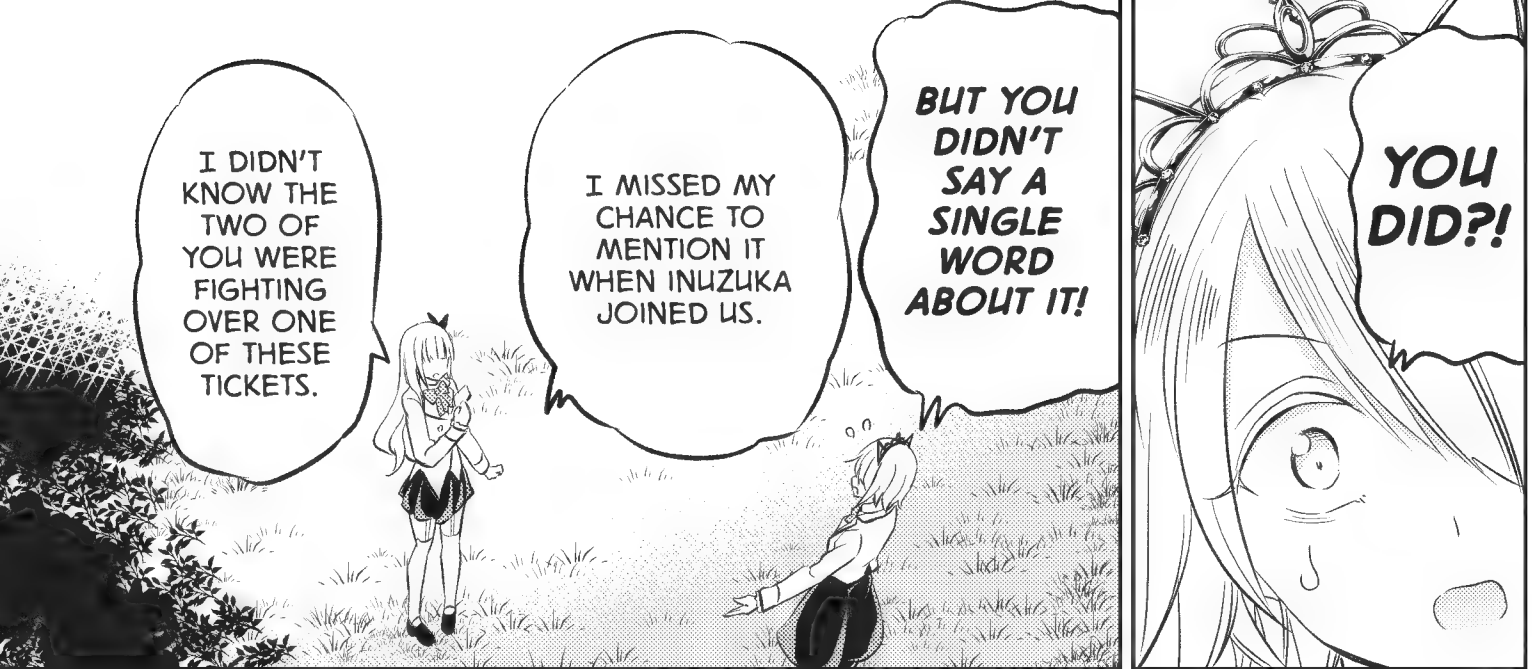


LOOK! I GOT A TICKET TO SEE THE LANTERNS WITH YOU, TOO!

PER-CHAN...



HOW CAN YOU SAY THAT? I STILL REMEMBER!







TAKE A CLOSER LOOK!  
THERE'S AN EXTRA-LARGE FUEL CELL IN THERE.

THIS MASK IS LIGHT, SO IT SHOULD FLY LIKE A REAL SKY LANTERN.



EXCUSE ME?!  
WHAT USE COULD I POSSIBLY HAVE FOR A DAHL-ICKEY MASK?!

USE THIS.



WHY DID YOU DO ALL THAT?

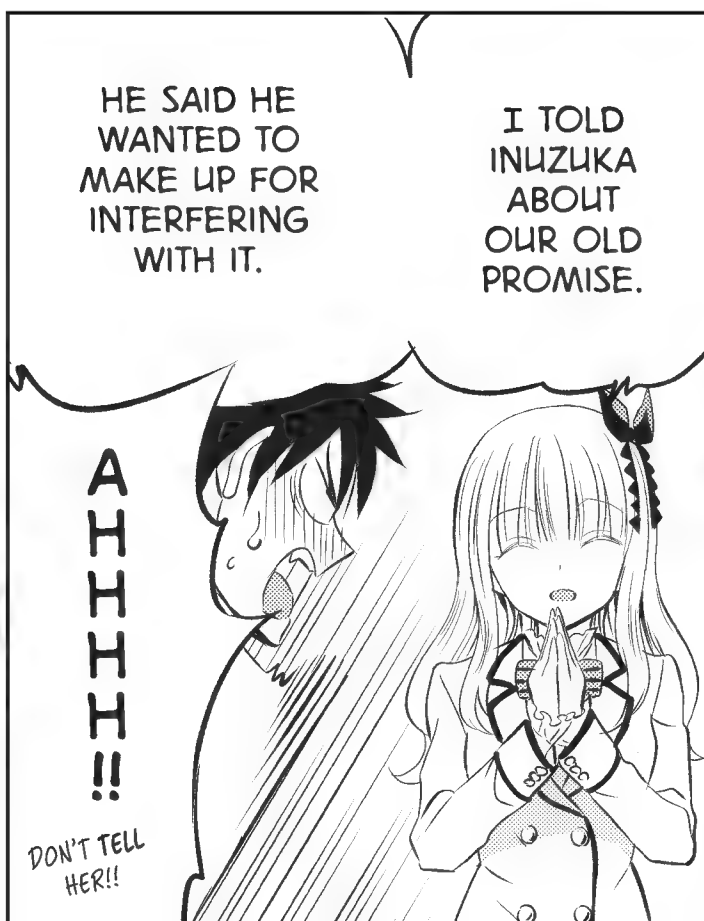
SO I SCRAPED TOGETHER SOME FUEL FROM THEM AND HAD THE LANTERN-MAKERS MODIFY THIS MASK SO IT'LL FLY.

WHEN I WENT BACK INTO TOWN, THERE WERE A BUNCH OF LANTERNS THAT COULDN'T BE SENT UP 'CAUSE OF RIPS IN THE FABRIC.



TCH!

I HATE TO DO IT, BUT I'LL GIVE YOU TONIGHT! YOU TWO FLY THE LANTERN!!



HE SAID HE WANTED TO MAKE UP FOR INTERFERING WITH IT.

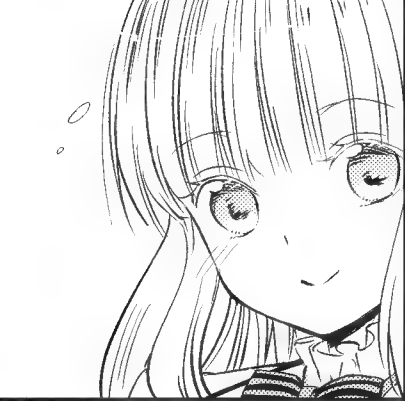
I TOLD INUZUKA ABOUT OUR OLD PROMISE.



NO REAL REASON... I HAD NOTHIN' BETTER TO DO...

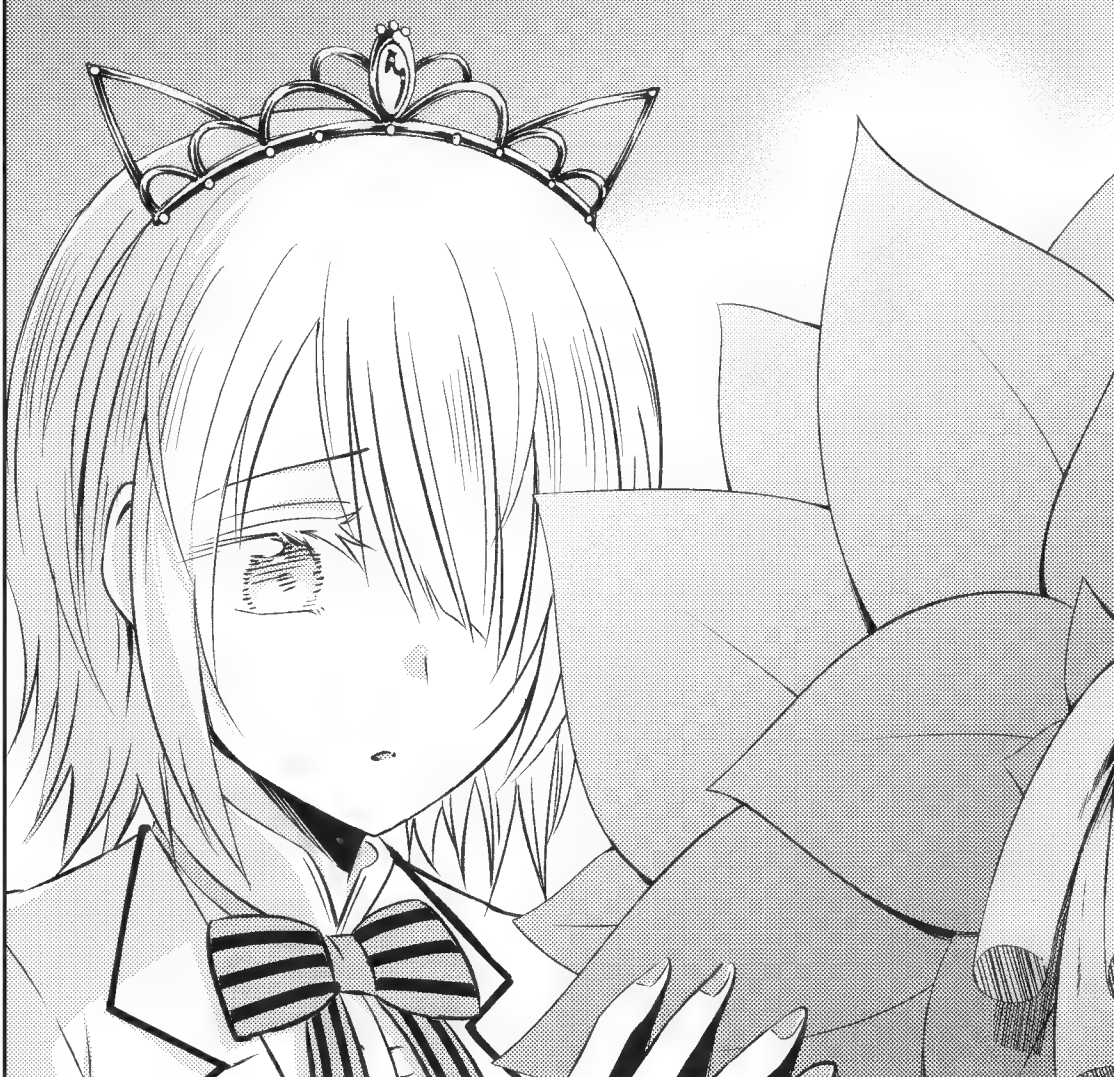
AHHHH!!

DON'T TELL HER!!



CHAR-  
CHAN,  
LET'S  
WRITE  
A WISH  
ON IT.

ON  
THIS  
?!



DO WHA-  
T-EVER  
YOU  
WANT!

I'M  
OUT.



WHAT  
?!

...WON'T  
WE  
END UP  
CURSED  
INSTEAD?!

IF WE FLY  
THIS UGLY,  
UTTERLY  
TASTELESS  
LANTERN...



LOOK...

I'M...A  
MAGNAN-  
IMOUS  
PRINCESS,  
YOU  
KNOW?

DON'T  
BE SO  
QUICK  
TO  
LEAVE.

HUH  
?

120



I'LL  
GIVE YOU...  
SPECIAL  
PERMISSION...

...TO  
STAY  
WITH  
US...



WH-WHAT  
ON EARTH  
GAVE YOU  
THAT IDEA?!  
THAT'S  
GOING TOO  
FAR!!



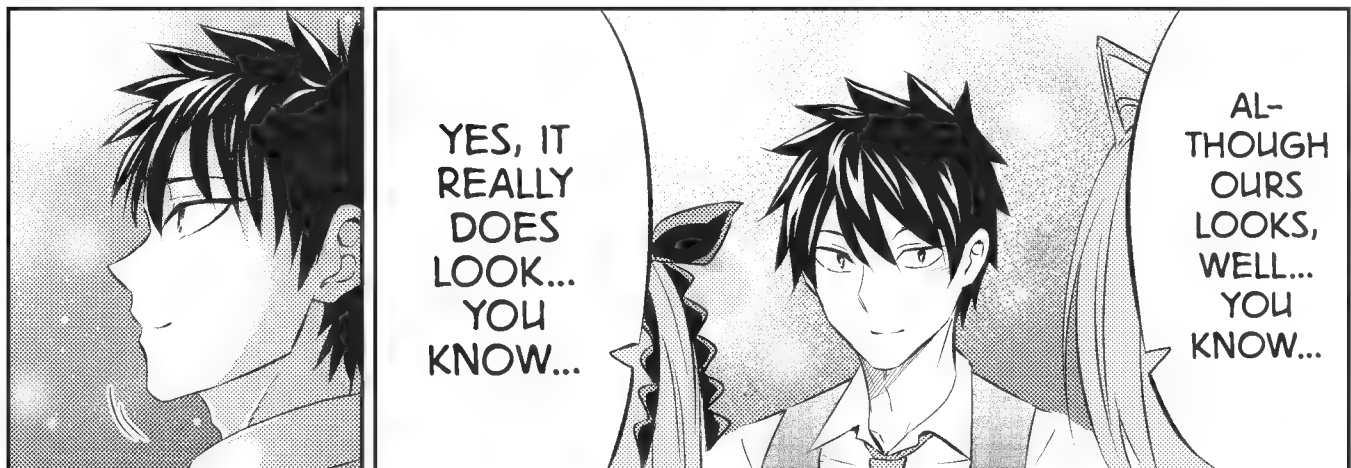
CAN'T YOU  
JUST BE HONEST  
AND SAY YOU  
WANT ALL THREE  
OF US TO SEND  
IT UP TOGETHER?





AREN'T  
THE  
LIGHTS  
BEAUTI-  
FUL?

AWW!  
IT REALLY  
FLEW!



YES, IT  
REALLY  
DOES  
LOOK...  
YOU  
KNOW...

AL-  
THOUGH  
OURS  
LOOKS,  
WELL...  
YOU  
KNOW...



Y  
A  
N  
K



**SHE'S  
WAY TOO  
CLOSE!!**

OH,  
GOOD-  
NESS!  
INUZUKA?!

**CHAR-CHAN  
LOOKS  
REALLY  
PLEASED.**

WHISPER  
tiny  
WHISPER  
tiny

**LEAVE  
ME  
ALONE  
!!**

**UGH.  
YOU'RE  
AWFULLY  
PATHETIC,  
AREN'T  
YOU?**

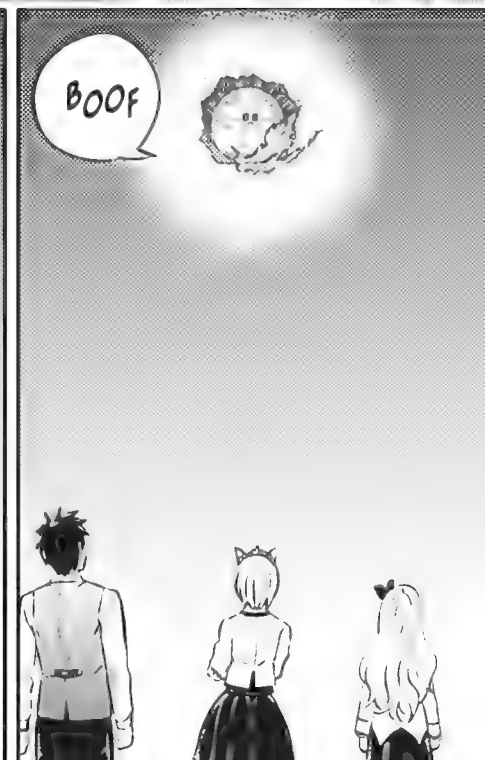
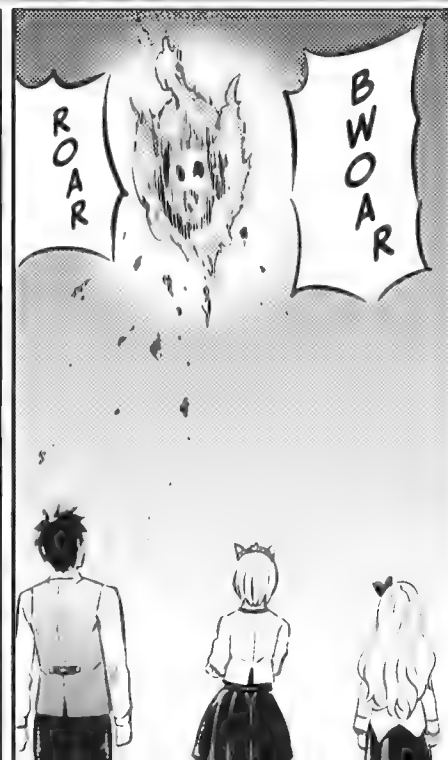
**YOU  
SAVED  
THE DAY,  
INUZUKA.  
THANKS!**

AS OF  
TOMOR-  
ROW,  
WE'RE  
RIVALS  
AGAIN.

BY THE  
WAY?  
OUR  
TRUCE  
IS **ONLY**  
FOR  
TODAY.

**YEAH,  
YEAH.**







I SET UP A SPECIAL  
DATE WITH PERSIA!  
WE'RE GONNA TAKE  
A BOAT OUT ON THE  
LAKE IN OUR FREE  
TIME!!



INU-  
ZUKA?

ARE YOU  
LISTENING,  
INUZUKA?

I GOT A  
FEELING WE  
MIGHT GET  
SOME-  
WHERE...

DIFFERENT  
SCEN-  
ERY THAN  
USUAL...A  
WORLD FOR  
JUST THE  
TWO OF  
US...



HUH?!  
IS THAT  
MY  
FAULT  
?!

WHOA!  
NOT SO  
CLOSE,  
BRO!

W H I R L

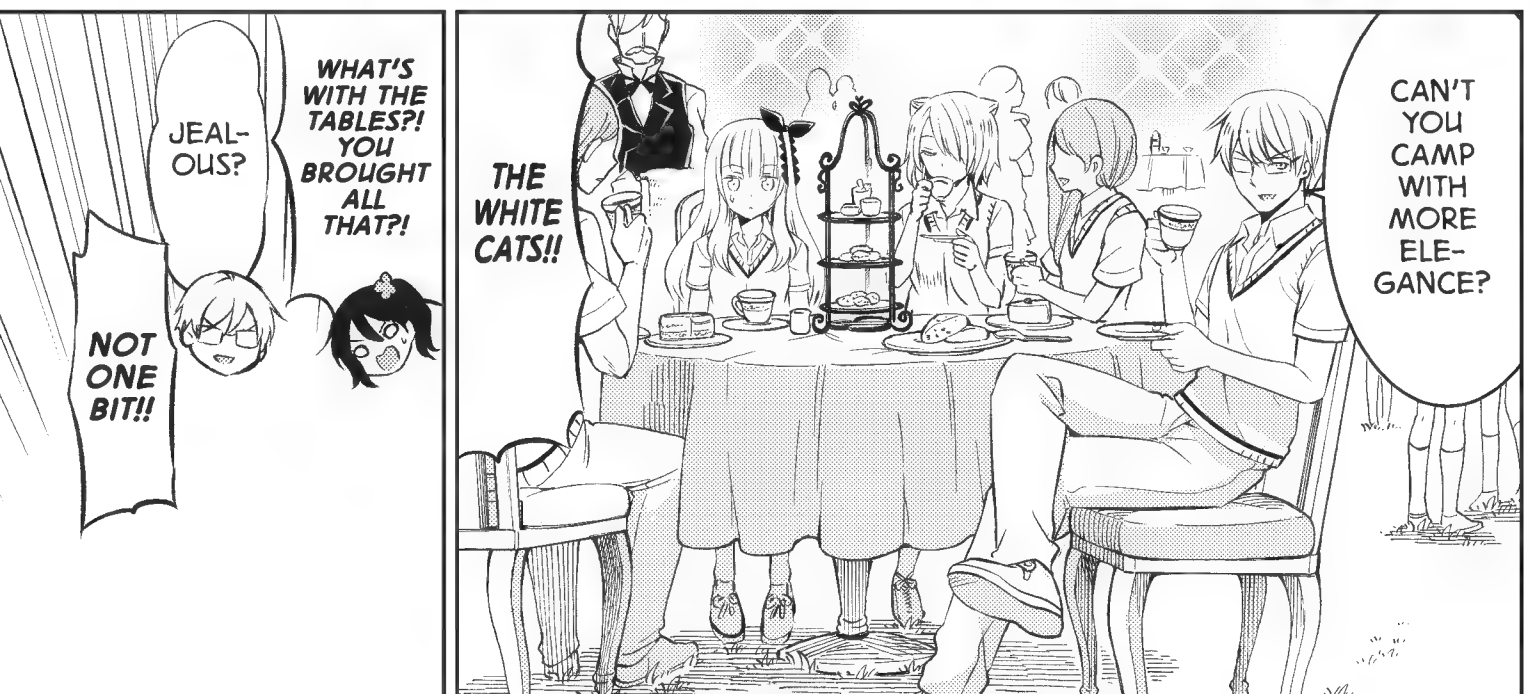
HUH?  
WHAT?

GET  
AHOLD  
OF  
YOUR-  
SELF,  
DUMMY!

WHAT AM  
I GETTING  
ALL  
FLUSTERED  
FOR?









TRULY BEAU-  
TIFUL,  
PERSIA-  
SAMA!!

LOOK!  
ISN'T  
THAT  
BIRD  
BEAUTI-  
FUL?

WE  
COULD  
SAY THE  
SAME  
TO YOU!  
DON'T  
YOU  
AGREE,  
PERSIA-  
SAMA?!

YUP-  
PERS!

GETTING  
STUCK WITH  
YOU FUZZ-  
BALLS EVEN  
ON OUR FUN  
CAMPING TRIP  
IS HELLISH,  
BRO! RIGHT,  
INUZUKA?!



JISH SHKOOL  
KYAMP IJUH  
PARTUH YER  
EDJOOKAY-  
SHUN.



THE  
WHITE CAT  
HOUSE  
MISTRESS!

THE  
BLACK  
DOGGY  
HOUSE  
MASTER!



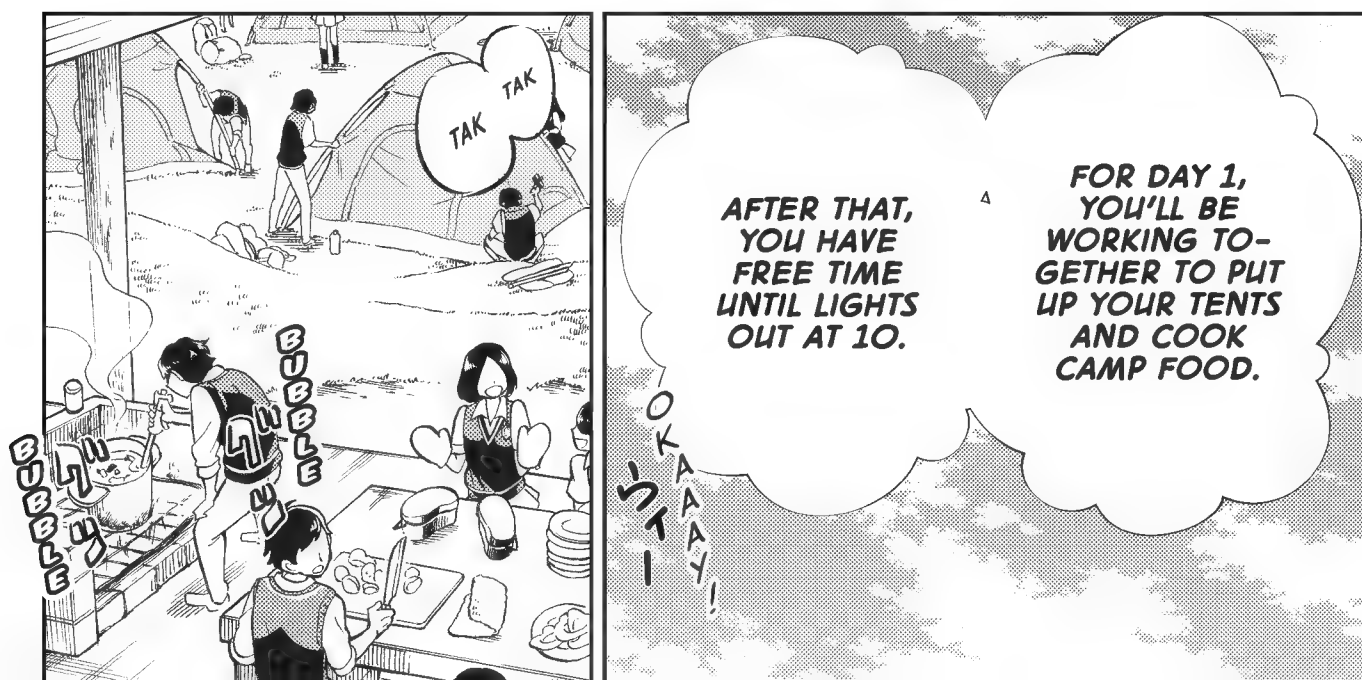
MY, MY.  
NO  
FIGHTING,  
NOW.



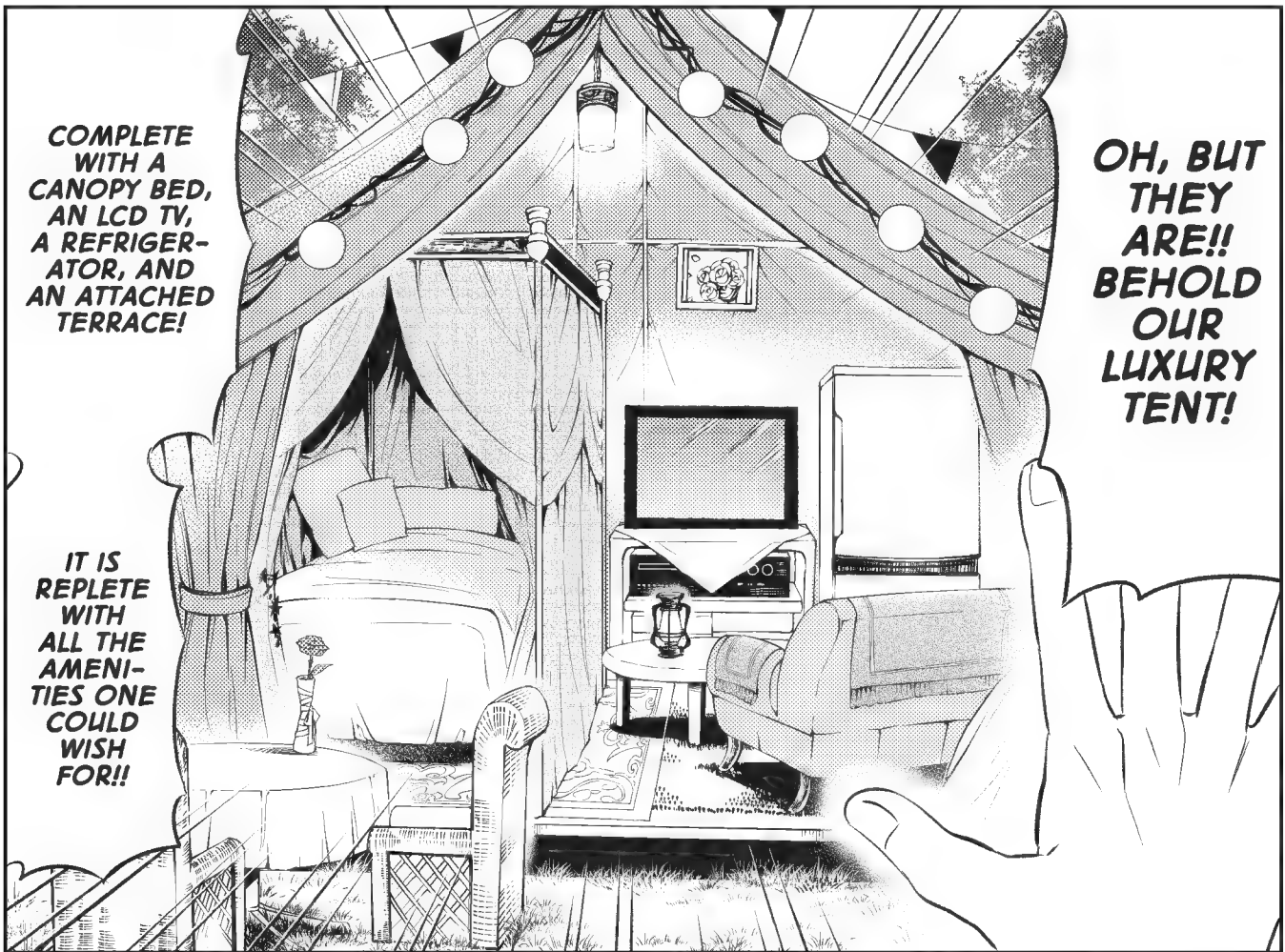
...A  
WORD...

CAN'T  
UNDER-  
STAND...

JUH UHBJEKTIF  
UV JISH TEW-NITE,  
SHREE-DEY KYAMP  
ISH FUR JUH TEW  
DORMSH TA GIT  
BETTUH  
UHKWANTED.



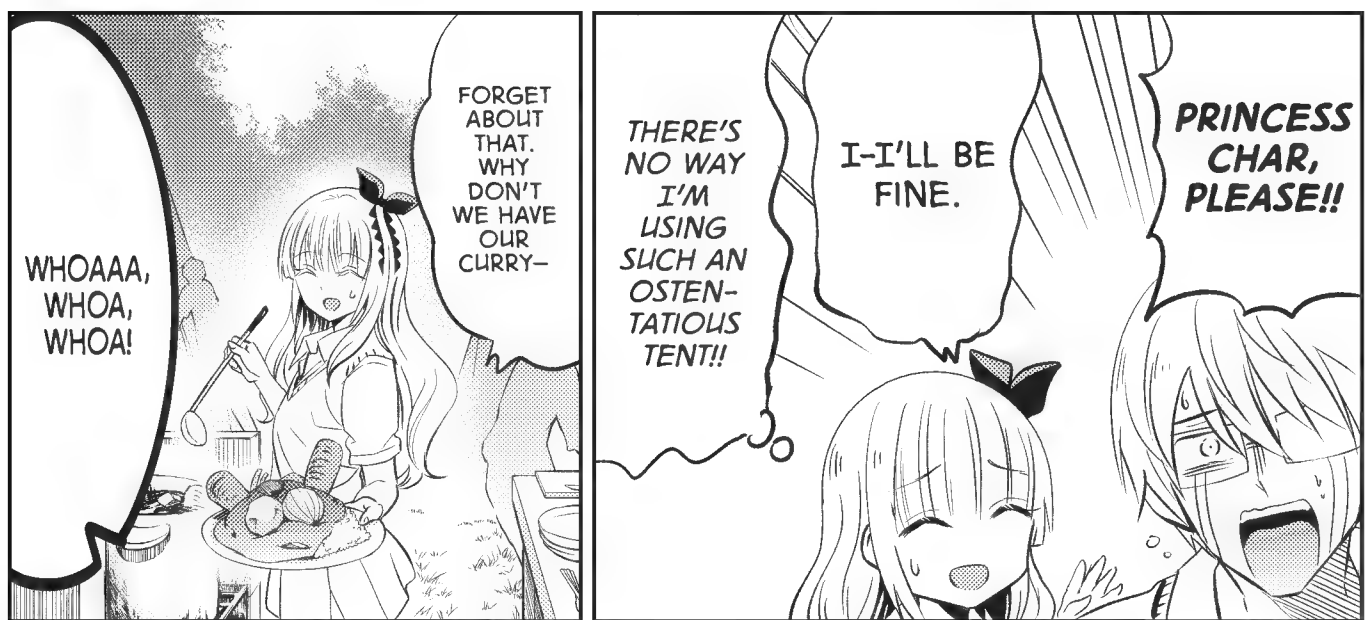


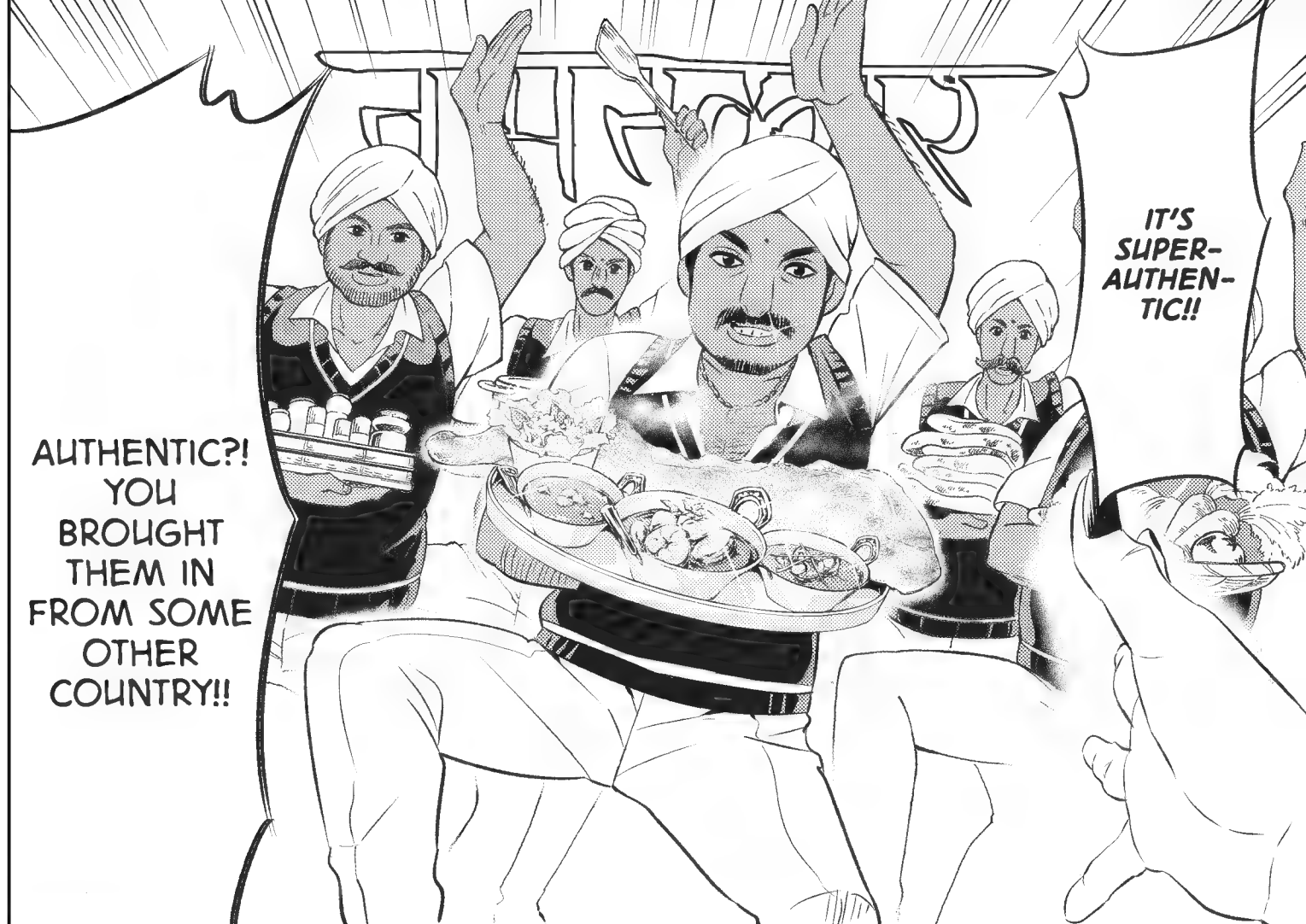


WE ARRIVED AT THE SITE EARLY AND PAINSTAKINGLY CONSTRUCTED IT OVER SEVERAL DAYS!

ALL TO ALLOW PERSIA-SAMA TO SPEND HER CAMPING TRIP IN INCOMPARABLE COMFORT!!







AUTHENTIC?!  
YOU  
BROUGHT  
THEM IN  
FROM SOME  
OTHER  
COUNTRY!!

IT'S  
SUPER-  
AUTHEN-  
TIC!!



YOU  
BRATS  
...

THEY  
DON'T  
EVEN  
SPEAK  
YOUR LAN-  
GUAGE!  
DID YOU  
EXPRESSLY  
CALL THEM  
HERE  
SO YOU  
COULD  
BRAG  
ABOUT  
YOUR  
CURRY?!  
ARE YOU  
A FOOL?!



WHAT'D  
YOU  
SAY?

नमस्कार

AREN'CHA  
?

WATCH IT WITH  
THE FALSE  
ACCUSATIONS.  
THESE ARE  
BLACK DOGGY  
STUDENTS WHO  
JUST HAPPEN  
TO HAVE  
GOTTEN A  
LITTLE TANNED.



SCARY!!

YIKES! THE  
HOUSE  
MISTRESS  
SNAPPED!

SHAPE UP,  
OR I'LL  
SLAUGHTER  
YOU ALL!!







SHMM

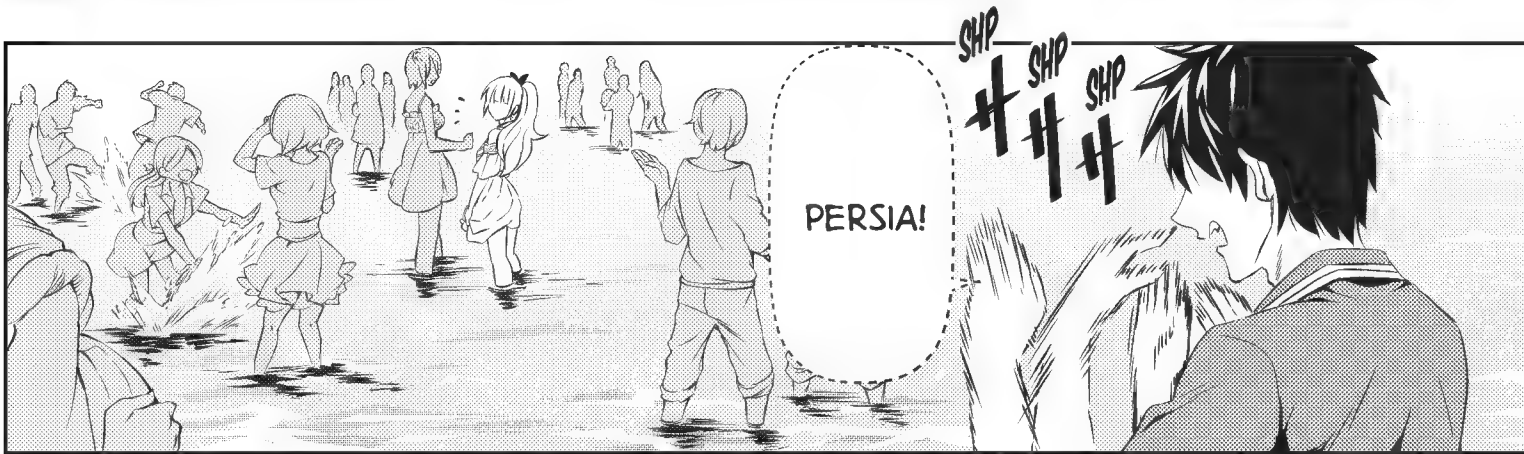
HEEEY!  
HUH? INUZU...



MAYBE  
I'LL SHOW  
INUZUKA...

THERE  
ARE  
LOADS  
OF FISH  
OVER  
HERE!

OH!



PERSIA!

SHP  
# SHP  
# SHP  
#



F  
W  
I  
P

!!

G  
A  
H



SHP  
# SHP  
# SHP  
# SHP  
#

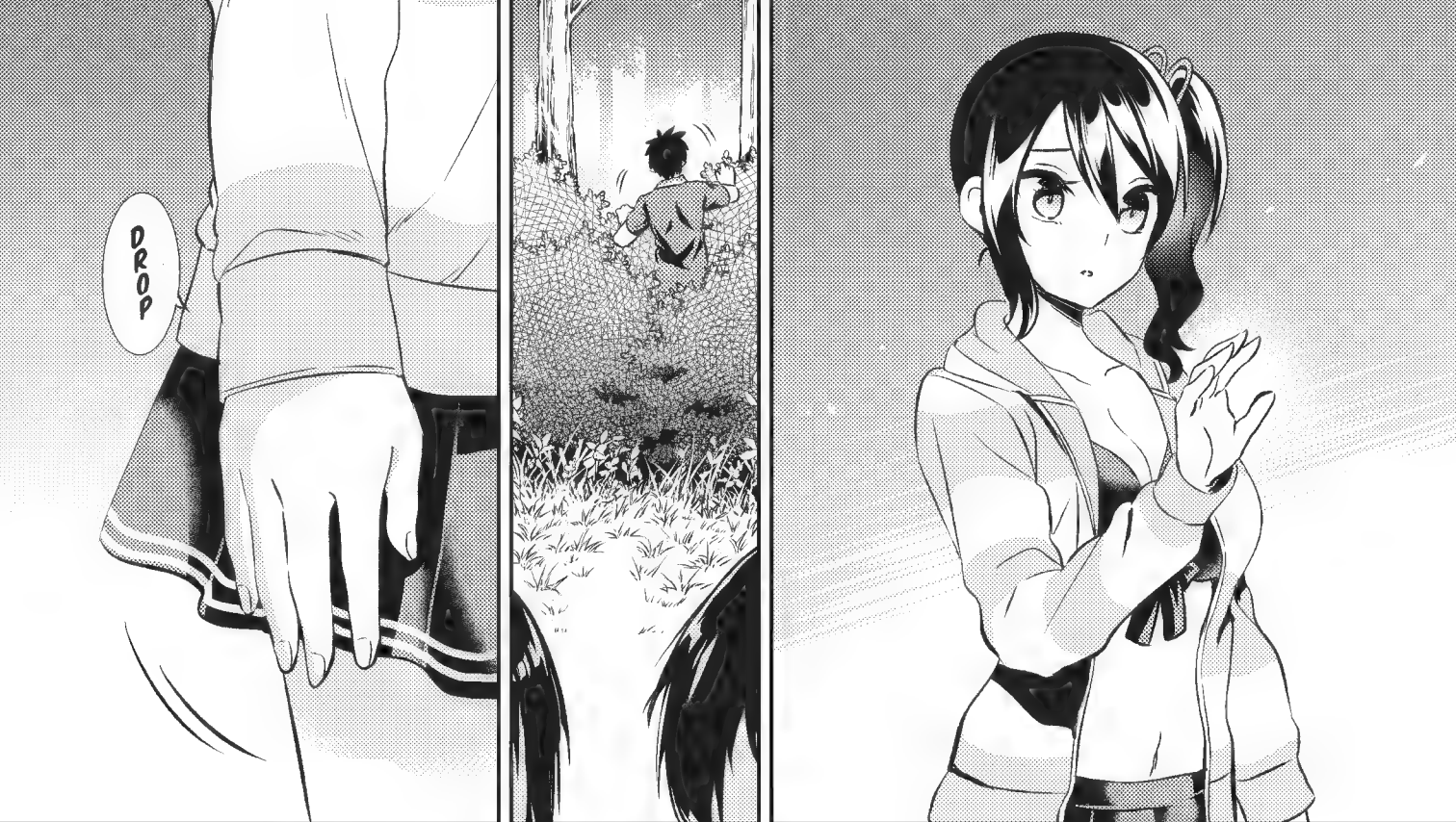
I'M  
GONNA  
WAIT FOR  
YOU AT  
THE BOAT  
SHACK!



Eh, can't blame  
her for not  
going with it...  
the gesturing's  
too attention-  
grabbing...

THE COLD  
SHOULDER  
AGAIN...

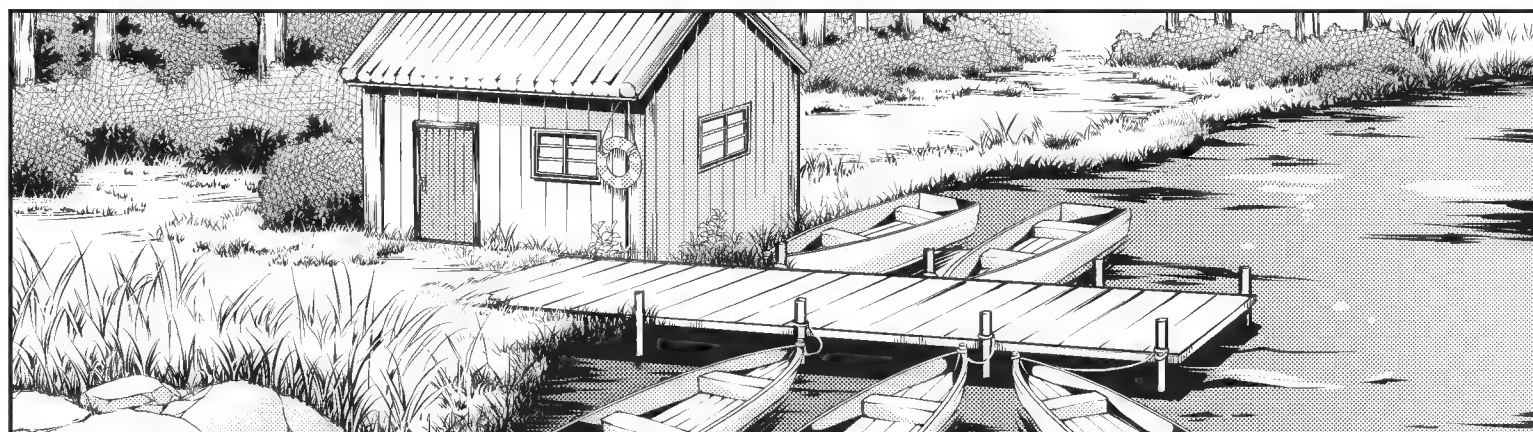




NOTE: RAMUNE IS A JAPANESE SOFT DRINK.













I'MMM  
MMMAD  
AT YA,  
BRO!!

SHHH-  
HUD-  
DUP!!

HIC!

\*UNDERAGED DRINKING IS ILLEGAL. DON'T DO IT, KIDS!



YIKES! THE  
HOUSE  
MASTER'S  
PASSED  
OUT  
DRUNK!!

WHAT A  
LIGHT-  
WEIGHT!



SHE WAS  
HERE A  
MINUTE  
AGO...

NO-  
VA-  
CON

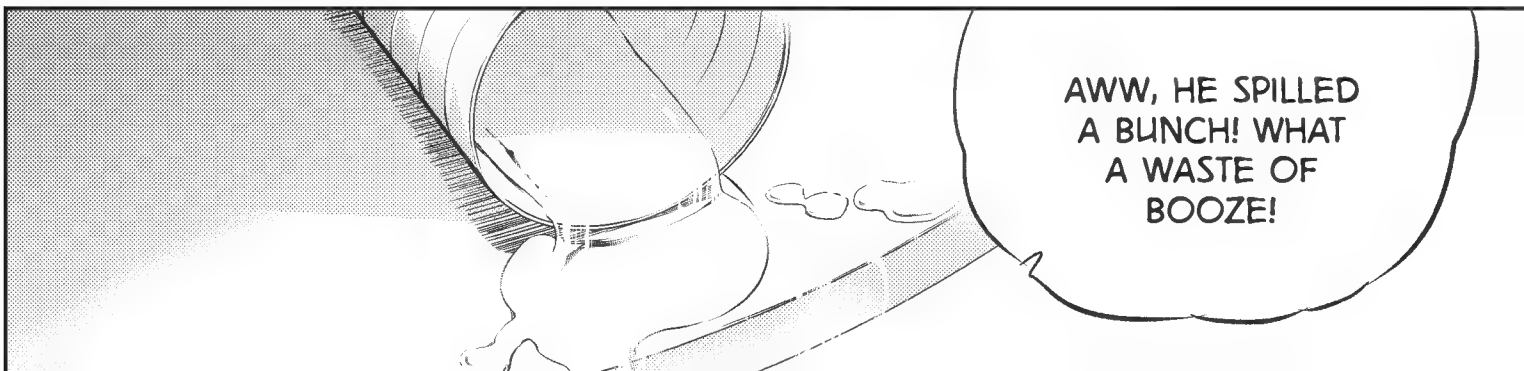


HUH?  
WHERE'D  
HASUKI  
GO?



HE-  
Y!  
C?

UH?



AWW, HE SPILLED  
A BUNCH! WHAT  
A WASTE OF  
BOOZE!







SHE'SH...  
FROM AN  
ENEMY  
NAYSHUN,  
BRO!

WHY D'YOU  
GOTTA LIKE  
**PERSHIA?**



**I-I DON'T  
NEED A  
REASON  
TO LIKE  
SOME-  
BODY,  
DO I?!**

SHE GIVES  
YOU THE COLD  
SHOULDER...  
AN' EVEN  
WHEN YOU  
DO GET TO  
SPEND TIME  
TOGETHER, IT  
PUTS YOU IN  
DANGER.

AN' IN  
THE FIRST  
PLACE...  
AREN'T  
YOU  
ALWAYS  
THE ONE  
ASKING  
HER ON  
DATES?

YOU  
**DO,**  
BRO!

HOW CAN  
YOU LIKE  
HER SO  
MUCH?

URK!



I'VE  
AL-  
WAYS...

...AL-  
WAYS,  
ALWAYS  
...

WHUH...

IT'S GOTTA BE  
SOMEBODY  
WHO CAN  
MAKE YOU  
HAPPY, BRO.



...HAD  
FEELINGS  
FOR YOU.  
I'VE HAD  
THEM  
LONGER  
THAN  
ANYONE.

THAT'S  
WHY I  
CAN'T...  
ACCEPT  
THINGS AS  
THEY ARE,  
BRO...



PERSIA  
ISN'T  
HOW  
YOU  
THINK—

YOU'VE  
GOT IT  
WRONG  
!!







HASUKI'S DRUNK.  
SHE'S NOT  
IN HER  
RIGHT  
MIND...

WAIT!!  
WE  
HAVEN'T  
DONE  
ANY-  
THING!!



I'M  
BEGGIN'  
YOU  
HERE,  
DON'T  
START  
ANY-  
THING!

WHAZZAT?  
YOU  
WANNA  
GO?



OH,  
CRAP...!!

PERSIA  
MADE A  
FIST?!!

CLENCH  
ヒッ (hi)

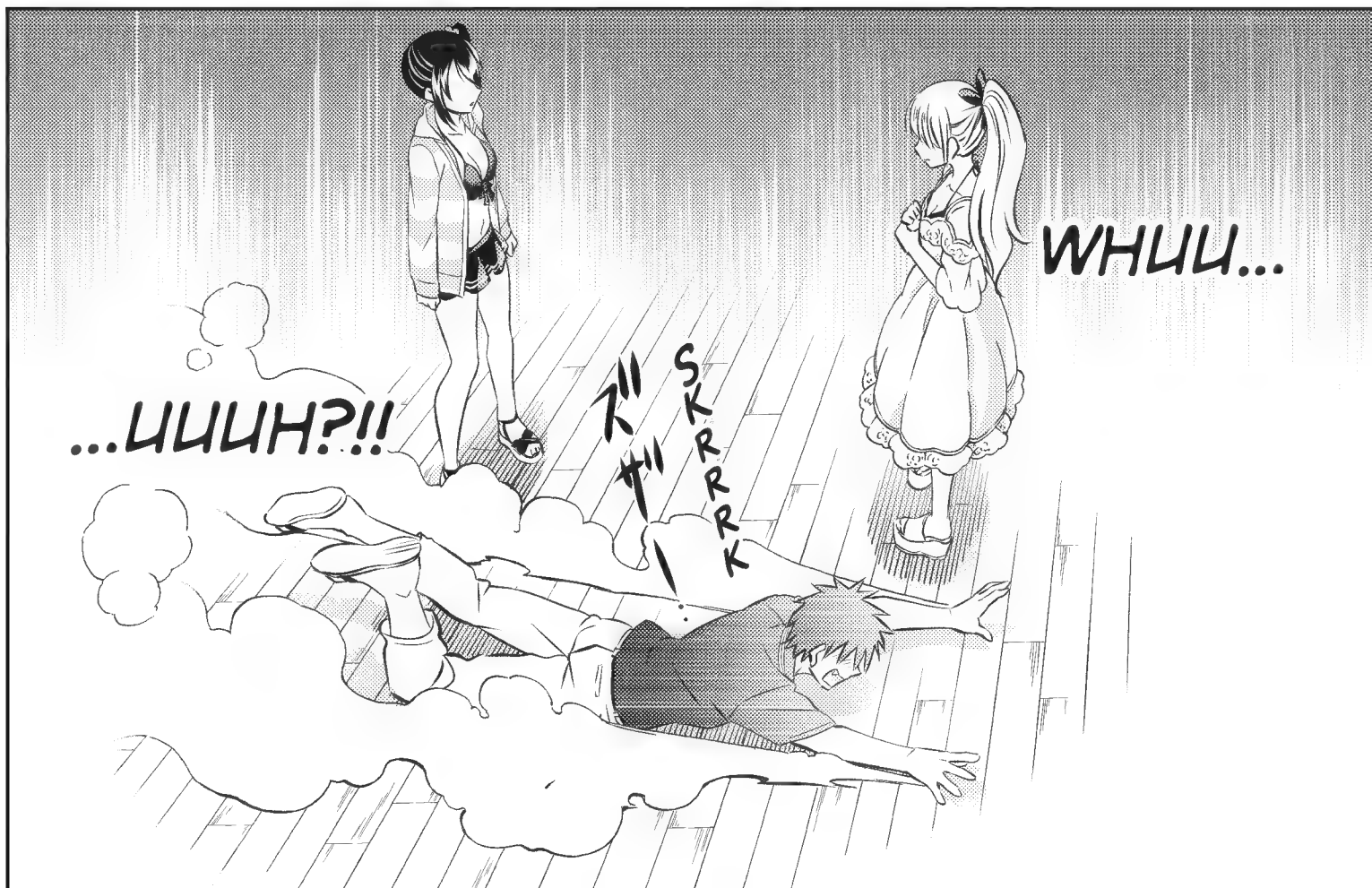
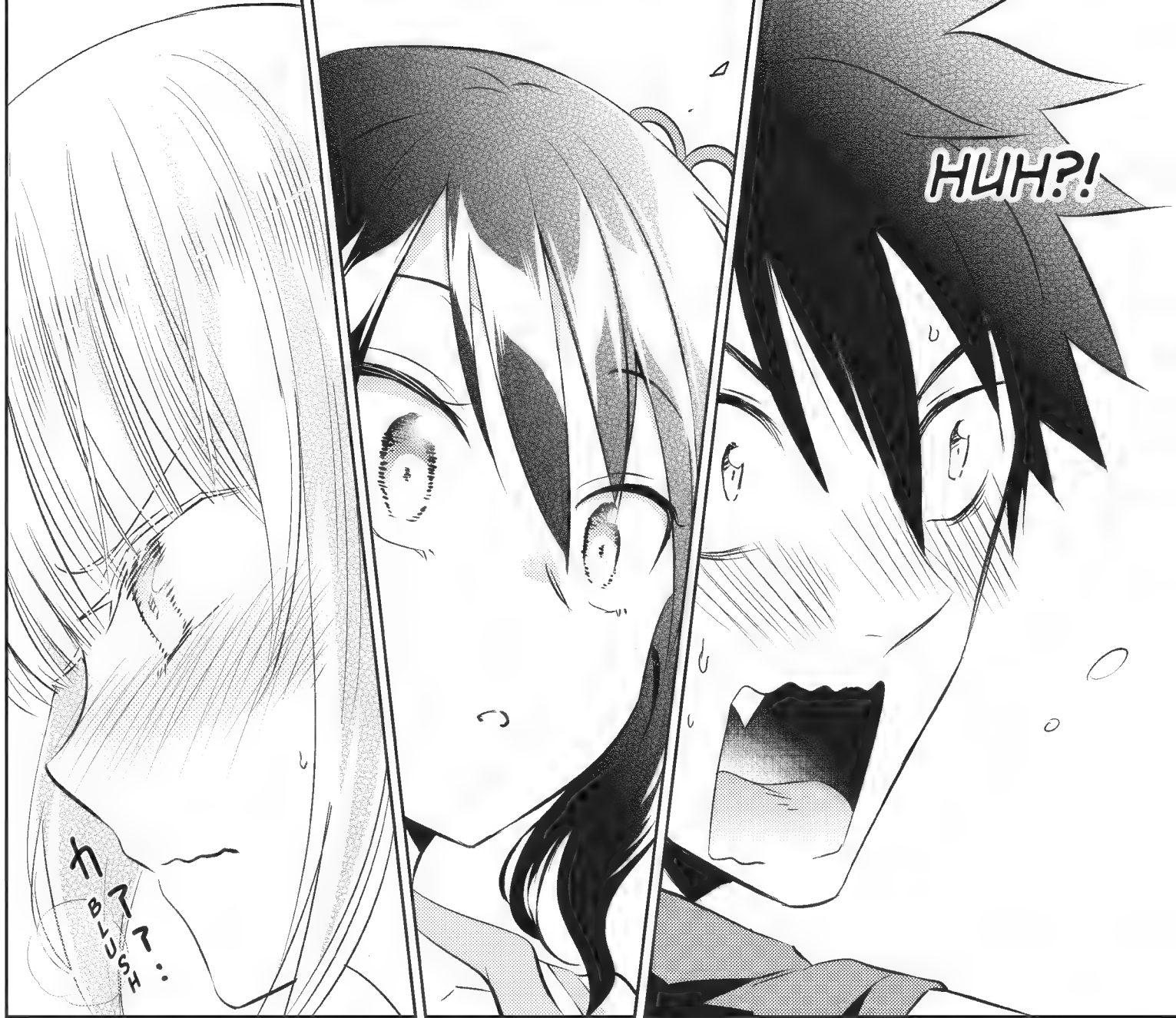





**I-I  
LIKE  
INUZU-  
KA...**

**...MORE  
THAN  
YOU!!**








**EXCUSE ME?!  
ARE YOU CALLING  
ME A *SHLUT*?!**

**AS MUCH  
AS I WANT  
TO ASK HIM  
ON DATES, I  
CAN'T!  
I GET TOO  
SHY!! I'M  
NOT LIKE  
YOU!!**

**I'D BEEN  
HOLDING  
MY TONGUE,  
BUT THEN  
YOU STARTED  
BADMOUTHING  
ME!!**



**KEEP THIS  
UP AND  
YOU'RE  
*GONNA*  
GET  
CAUGHT  
SOONER  
OR LATER!!**

**IF YOU  
WANNA KEEP  
YOUR LITTLE  
MEETINGS  
SECRET,  
THEN DO A  
BETTER JOB,  
BRO!!**


**YOU'RE  
A *THIRD*  
WHEEL  
!!**

**WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
EVEN  
HERE  
FOR?!**



**YOU STAY OUT  
OF THIS!!**

**WHY?!**



**H-HEY, YOU  
TWO! JUST  
CALM DOWN!**



AS HAVE  
***YOU*** ON  
***MINE!***  
WELL, THIS  
IS THE  
PERFECT  
OPPOR-  
TUNITY TO  
SETTLE  
THINGS  
ONCE AND  
FOR ALL!!

YOU'VE ALWAYS GOTTEN ON MY NERVES!!

ヒッヒッ

YOU'VE ALWAYS GOTTEN ON MY NERVES!!

ヒッパッ

**I GOTTA  
STOP THEM  
SOMEHOW...  
BUT...**



THEY'RE  
NOT GON-  
NA START  
THROWING  
PUNCHES,  
RIGHT?!

SETTLE  
THINGS?!  
WHY?!



THEY'RE  
NOT GON-  
NA START  
THROWING  
PUNCHES,  
RIGHT?!

SETTLE  
THINGS?!  
WHY?!

...AM I  
SUP-  
POSED  
TO DO  
THAT?!

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HOW THE HECK...

GRRR!  
L L L L L

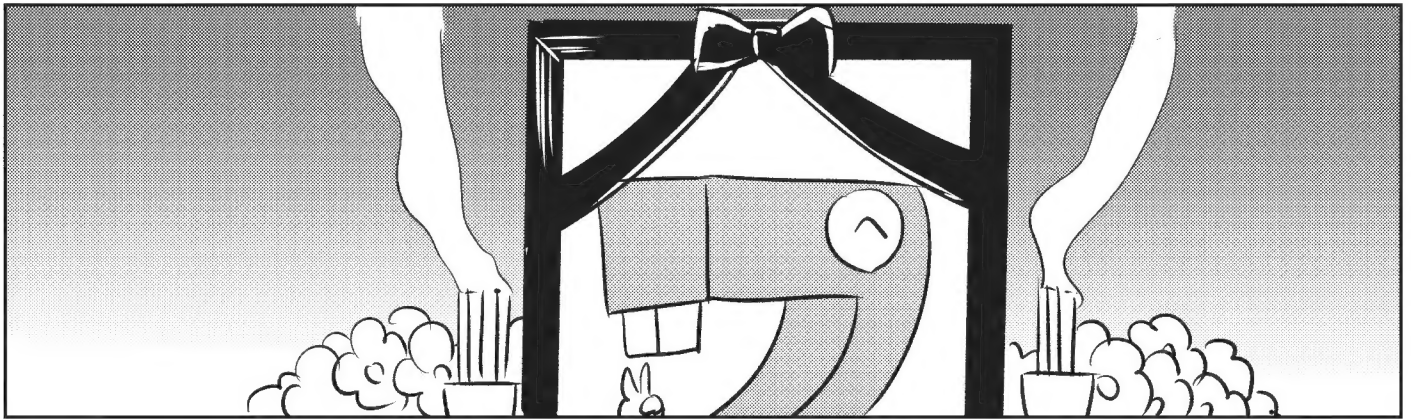
HOW THE HECK...

GRRR!  
L L L L

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*Juliet*

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